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DUBLIN STUDENT TO BE EXECUTED

His Trial by Court-Martial on Charge of Complicity in Murder of Soldier Results in Death Sentence—Execution Is to Take Place on Monday Next

MILITARY PARTY ATTACKED IN DISTRICT OF KILKENNY

Two Soldiers Are Shot Dead and Three Wounded—Casualties Among Assailants—Military Active in Raiding Business District of Cork City—Home Rule Bill

DUBLIN, Oct. 28.—The first murder trial by court-martial in Dublin in connection with recent killings of soldiers has ended in the condemnation to death of Kevin Barry, a medical student, 18 years of age.

Barry was charged with complicity in an attack on soldiers in Dublin in September, when one soldier was killed. The commander-in-chief has confirmed the sentence of death, and the execution of Barry has been set for next Monday. In prison Barry made an affidavit before a magistrate to the effect that he had been tortured by soldiers and jailers in an attempt to make him reveal the names of his comrades.

TIPPERARY, Ireland, Oct. 28.—Two soldiers were shot dead and three wounded when a military lorry was attacked by civilians near Thomstown, about ten miles southeast of Kilkenny, today. The battle raged half an hour, and it is believed there also were casualties among the civilians.

NEW CATHEDRALS TO BE STARTED

Vestry Meeting of Christ Church to Be Held in Few Days' Time to Consider Amended Plans

The long-postponed plan to build a new Cathedral has once more been taken up and at a meeting of the building committee held a few days ago the proposal again took a definite form, the intention now being to commence the work as early as possible in the Spring. With a view to securing the endorsement of a few days ago the people of the Christ Church parish a vestry meeting has been called for Monday, November 8, at which the plans will be submitted of the proposed new building as amended since originally submitted by Mr. J. C. M. Keith, the architect. The acceptance by the meeting of this amended plan would be the first step toward the fulfilment of the long cherished hope of Cathedral worshippers to have in their new future a building adequate to the needs of the congregation and which more nearly meets the ideal than the present structure.

The plans as they stand at present, and under the existing conditions as to labor and cost of materials, would entail an expenditure of something in the neighborhood of \$100,000, a sufficient portion of which sum is already in sight to justify proceeding with the undertaking.

The need for a new Cathedral has been apparent for many years, and it was only by carrying out extensive alterations and additions to the old building two or three years ago that the edifice was able at all adequately to provide seating room for the congregations. An equally urgent need of Christ Church parish is a new Synod Hall, which would assist in solving the problem of finding accommodation for the Sunday School, which has now vastly outgrown the schoolroom. The new Synod Hall will probably be erected before work on the Cathedral is started.

SIR HAMAR RESENTS REMARKS FROM DEVLIN

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The incident of last night's debate in the House of Commons was the spirited retort by Sir Hamar Greenwood, Chief Secretary for Ireland, to Joseph Devlin, Nationalist M.P., who had spoken of the Irish administration as that of a Canadian Chief Secretary.

Sir Hamar declared that the record of Canadian Empire history was one to be proud of, and no part of the Empire was more favorable to Home Rule. He regretted, and hoped every newspaper in Canada would repeat his statement, that the first Canadian in the position of Chief Secretary for Ireland should be attacked because he was a Canadian.

FINANCIAL COMPANY IS INCORPORATED

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—The British-American Financial Corporation has been incorporated with a capital of \$1,000,000, with head offices in Toronto, and a branch in New York, and Sir William Wiseman, a banker of London, England, as president. The new company will deal in Canadian, American and Mexican securities. Sir William Wiseman, the promoter of the company, was a member of the British Embassy at Washington after the war, and was an adviser for the British Government on American affairs at the peace conference in Paris.

FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT SUES JOHN R. RATHOM

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Franklin D. Roosevelt today filed papers in a suit for \$500,000 against John R. Rathom, editor and publisher of The Providence Journal, and against Scott C. Bone and Edward B. Clark, manager and assistant manager of publication for the Republican National Committee. Mr. Roosevelt charges the defendants with circulating false and defamatory libel.

An editorial in The Providence Journal charged that Roosevelt had requested or destroyed Navy Department documents, and that he had sought personally to return to the ships of the navy men convicted of various crimes. Mr. Roosevelt made public denial of the charges, and then Mr. Rathom sent him a letter containing specific cases referred to in the editorial. The letter also was published in The Providence Journal.

VANCOUVER POLICE CHIEF APPOINTED

VANCOUVER, Oct. 28.—Inspector James Anderson, of the city detective department, has been formally appointed as chief of the Vancouver Police Department, rendered vacant through the resignation of Chief of Police McRae.

GREEK MINISTER TAKES MESSAGE

GENEVA, Oct. 28.—For the first time since the Greek revolution of 1917, the Greek Government, through its minister in Bern, officially opened negotiations with the family of former King Constantine, when the minister informed Prince Paul of certain conditions attached to his accession to the throne. Foremost of these conditions was formal abdication of the throne by Constantine, and also Prince George, which was demanded officially today.

Constantine, who is in Lucerne, continues to receive condolences on the death of King Alexander, including telegrams of sympathy from former Emperor William of Germany and former Emperor Charles of Austria.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 28.—Profound regret is expressed here over the death of the Greek King, Alexander. Greek flags were flown at half-mast on vessels, Greek shops, official buildings and churches.

LABOR PARTY HOLDS DISORDERLY MEETING

WINNIPEG, Oct. 28.—The resignation of Robert Ringland as secretary of the Dominion Labor Party and the appointment of Harold R. Maynard as his successor at Wednesday evening's meeting of the party precipitated a violent discussion, which at times threatened to break up the meeting in disorder, and which resulted in delay of important business regarding the non-affiliation convention to be held November 3.

In presenting his resignation, Mr. Ringland said it was impossible for him to continue in office because he said he was being made the object of unfair criticism and the target for attacks which were unwarranted.

CHANGES TRAINING OF FARMER-SOLDIERS

VANCOUVER, B.C., Oct. 28.—In future the Soldier Settlement Board will not undertake to make a specialized farmer out of a returned man who has never had any farming experience, according to an important change in soldier settlement policy announced by Capt. F. C. Brown, of the Soldiers' Settlement Board, this morning.

The policy in the past has been to train any would-be farmer, whatever his pre-war occupation might have been, so that he could specialize in any branch of farming. Now he must take up mixed farming or already have had farming experience before proceeding to specialization, unless he has already secured a grade certificate.

ROUMANIA WILL HOLD BESSARABIA

PARIS, Oct. 28.—The treaty of cession prepared by the Ambassadors' Council, providing for the suzerainty of Rumania over Bessarabia, or in other words, annexation to Rumania, was signed this afternoon at the French Foreign Office. Jules Cambon signed for France, the Earl of Derby for Great Britain, Count Ronin-Lonsard for Italy, and Take Jonsescu for Rumania. Representatives of Japan and the British Dominions will sign later.

MAKES ADDRESS TO NAVY LEAGUE

Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of Marine, Speaks of Vessels Presented by Britain—Valuable as Nucleus

WILL ALTERNATE ON TWO COASTS

Speaker Recalls Mr. Duff's Ideas of Dependence for Protection on Mother Country or Monroe Doctrine

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, addressed the Toronto branch of the Navy League today at a luncheon held in connection with the league's campaign to raise \$750,000.

The Minister said he would not touch on political issues, but he would make an exception in the matter of the man from Lunenburg (Wm. Duff, M.P.), who seemed to take rare delight in making insinuations.

Mr. Ballantyne said that Mr. Duff "wanted us to close up the docks at Halifax and Esquimaux, B. C., and close up the Naval College. He desired me to go, but in hand, with our small fleet of 100,000, to the Mother Country and ask them, with the enormous burden of debt that they bear, and after all the British navy did during the war, to shoulder the burden of Canada's defence."

The Minister said that when Mr. Duff was asked who should undertake the burden of the defence of Canada, his reply was the Canadians should take shelter under the Monroe Doctrine.

"Shame," said several members of the Navy League. "I know that would not appeal to Canadians," the Minister said. He claimed that the Government had been justified in its reorganization of the Canadian navy, and did the right thing in accepting ships from the Mother Country. He deplored that it was a pity that the "live, large national problem of the Canadian navy should ever have become entangled with Canadian politics."

The cruiser Aurora and the two destroyers, Pelican and Patria, which the British Admiralty had given Canada, would leave England within a month for Halifax. Mr. Ballantyne said. From Halifax they would go to the West Indies, and then to the East Coast, after which they would alternate between the Pacific and Atlantic Coasts.

"The Canadian navy is not costing more than it would have cost them before the war," said Mr. Ballantyne, "except for the increased cost of all materials and wages." He stated that when the Imperial Conference takes place, in 1921 or 1922, should it be decided that Canada is to have a navy of her own, we will have a splendid nucleus upon which to build."

AUSTRALIA CARRIES HEAVY INDEBTEDNESS

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Speaking at a luncheon tendered to Governor Kelly, of the Australian Commonwealth Bank, Mr. Austen Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said that while he could not welcome Australian corporations as borrowers of money in the present circumstances, which would make them competitors with himself in Great Britain's hour of need, they would always have the British Government's good will when they invited investors to take up long-term issues for the development of the Commonwealth.

Mr. Kelly announced that the Commonwealth's total indebtedness was £700,000,000, and was carried by a population of 5,000,000. This was a greater burden than was borne by Great Britain before the war.

ONE BIG UNION LOSES IN COURT

Case Decided at Winnipeg Gives Funds Involved to Local Loyal Members of International Unions

WINNIPEG, Oct. 28.—Judge Prendergast today handed down the first judgment in the various cases pending where the international union locals joined the One Big Union around the period of Winnipeg's historic strike.

The case was that of one of the locals of the men's branches and related to the disposal of the funds at the time of the breach in the ranks over the two organizations. It was the historic strike No. 6 versus Men's Council, section A.

MINERS WILL VOTE ON WAGE PROPOSAL FROM GOVERNMENT

FRENCH BLUEBEARD IS SENT TO PRISON

PARIS, Oct. 28.—Judgment which was rendered today convicted Henri Landru on the charge of swindling and of being an habitual criminal, and he was sentenced to four years' imprisonment and subsequent deportation.

The prosecutor announced that Landru might not be tried on the murder charges growing out of the disappearance of eleven women to whom he was said to have promised marriage. This will be decided soon.

Since his arrest, two years ago, Landru has been alluded to as a modern "bluebeard." Landru was arraigned a week ago on the swindling charges which grew out of his venture in the automobile and garage business in 1915.

MANY MERCHANTS SEEK LICENCES

Stamp System for Collection of Luxury Taxes Will Come Into Force on Monday—Penalties for Neglect

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—Applications for licences as required by the new regulations under which the luxury taxes will be collected, are being received in great numbers by the district inland revenue office, and it is expected that there will be few merchants without their licences when they open their stores for trading on the morning of November 1. On that date the new regulations will be in force, and merchants on selling any article on which the luxury tax is to be collected, must attach to the wrapper sufficient stamps to cover the tax. These stamps must be perforated in a special machine which is being supplied by the Department of Customs and Inland Revenue.

Special stamps for the purpose have been forwarded to all banks and inland revenue offices, and it is expected that the collector of customs in each district will have on hand sufficient supply every merchant in his district. No charge is made for the use of the perforating machines, but every merchant must secure a licence, the fee for which is \$2.

On and after Monday, November 1, all merchants will be required to carry a sufficient supply of stamps, and use these for the collection of luxury tax on articles sold by them. Penalties are provided for those who fail to observe the new regulations by trading without a licence and without using the luxury tax stamps on and after November 1.

Arrangement Involves Increase of Wages by Two Shillings Per Shift Until End of Year—Subsequent Settlement Will Be Under Control of Wage Board to Be Created

LEADERS ADVISE MEN'S ACCEPTANCE

Agreement So Drawn as to Encourage Increase in Output—Miners Expected to Resume by End of Next Week—Great Injury Done to Other Industries by Stoppage

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The prospect tonight is that the coal strike will terminate by the end of next week through the miners' acceptance of the agreement arranged with the Government under which the miners will get two shillings per shift advance unconditionally until the end of the year, and in the future their wages will be settled by the creation of a national wage board.

In the event of any delay in starting the wage board, wages in the interval will be settled on the basis of increase or decrease, according to surplus profits from coal exports or other sources. This depends on such complex calculations as to render it hardly possible for any miner to understand, therefore, in the ballot to be taken next Tuesday, and made returnable Wednesday, the miners must necessarily be guided by the reins of their leaders. The leaders favor a settlement on these terms.

The agreement is skillfully arranged, so that all concerned, including the coal miners, will be interested in increasing the output, as in case of a decreased output, the owners will be penalized by a reduction in their percentage share of surplus profits.

Frank Hodges, a member of the miners' executive announced: "We have got terms from the Government which the executive is submitting a ballot to the men for their judgment. The executive are recommending their adoption as a temporary measure until a national wage board is established."

The Government issued a statement similar to that of Mr. Hodges, adding that the ballot of the men would be taken immediately.

Has Done Much Injury (Reuters Agency).—The terms of the settlement concluded today between the miners' executive and the mine owners will require ratification by ballot as far as the miners are concerned, but matters are sufficiently advanced for a general review of the situation.

It is impossible, of course, to exaggerate the serious character of the strike, which has brought to a standstill the most important key industry of Great Britain and was affecting every other industry. That the general public was less inconvenienced than by the railway strike of a year ago was due solely to the fact that the results of the latter were immediately obvious to every one, whereas, the effect of the closing of the coal mines was gradual and cumulative.

Nevertheless, that there was immediate danger of widespread unemployment on the present occasion may be gauged by the fact that by the end of the strike not merely were iron and steel works paralyzed everywhere, but industries so remote as apparently as Staffordshire pottery and Lancashire cotton mills were compelled to discharge many thousands of workers.

Notable Self-Restraint Considering all this, nothing has been more remarkable than the temper and self-restraint of the people, including the miners themselves. The latter, while universally obedient to the strike order, were largely ignorant of the exact cause of the strike, and felt no overwhelming grievance. Their enforced leisure coincided with glorious weather, and they spent their time in gardening and football.

The railwaymen, whose attitude was much discussed, showed a general disinclination to join the strike, and the action of their leaders in postponing the strike notices was probably due as much to this known disposition of their followers as to their own moderation. While the majority of the railway branches passed resolutions leaving the decision to the executive, some actually protested formally against the suggestion of a sympathetic strike as due to the Bolshevik element and unworthy of the sacrifices of the war.

CATALONIAN ROUGHS ATTACK CONSULATE

BARCELONA, Oct. 28.—A large body of Catalonian and Basque students again made a noisy demonstration today before the British Consulate, where they cheered for Ireland and free Catalonia and shouted "down with England!" An interview with the Consul was refused. All the consulate windows were broken.

Catalan clubs and institutions have hoisted the Catalan flag at half mast on account of the death of Lord Mayor Macswiney of Cork, and a printed request has been issued for all women to wear mourning. Mass for the late Lord Mayor was celebrated in the parochial church today.

Funeral at Alexander Cantile (MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—A number of family friends and military men attended the funeral this afternoon of the late Alexander Cantile, late officer commanding the Cameron Highlanders, Winnipeg, who died on October 19, after a prolonged illness at his home at Altadena, near Pasadena, California.

Entirely upset by an official notification that a special steamer would be available at Holyhead to convey the body of Macswiney Direct to Queenstown.

Struggle Over Body Of Late Lord Mayor

Relatives Create Violent Scene Because Coffin Was Ordered to Be Placed on Special Boat and Conveyed Directly to Queenstown—Fight Lasts for Five Minutes

HOLYHEAD, Oct. 28.—Sisters and brothers of the late Lord Mayor Terence Macswiney of Cork were forcibly expelled, with other mourners, from their railway carriage by police here late last night as a result of a fight over the coffin of the dead hunger striker. Members of the family objected to the coffin being placed on board a special boat which would go direct from this port to Cork, and a violent scene ensued. The fight lasted for five minutes.

The coffin was placed on the boat at last, and the steamer left for Cork at 1:07 o'clock this morning.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Relatives of the late Lord Mayor Macswiney were officially notified on board their train before it reached Holyhead, that the body of the late Lord Mayor would not be taken to Dublin, but that a special steamer to Cork had been placed at their disposal. They refused to accept the arrangement, and did not accompany the body when it left Holyhead, says a dispatch received here. Instead, they are said to have crossed to Dublin on an ordinary mail boat.

The reason assigned by the Government for not permitting the body to be landed anywhere except in the Lord Mayor's native city was "the risk of political demonstrations, which might result in the loss of innocent lives."

DUBLIN, Oct. 28.—For a time tonight there were fears that the detailed arrangements for the funeral ceremonies here tomorrow in honor of Lord Mayor Macswiney would be

entirely upset by an official notification that a special steamer would be available at Holyhead to convey the body of Macswiney Direct to Queenstown.

The Sinn Fein chiefs, however, had a meeting to consider the situation and decided to proceed with the arrangements in part. These will include the mass at the Pro-cathedral and the running of a special to Cork.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—A bulletin issued today by the Irish Self-Determination League regarding the wife of the late Lord Mayor Macswiney says:

"The strain and anxiety of her husband's martyrdom have told very considerably on the Lady Mayores, especially during the last few days. The ordeal of the inquest and subsequent refusal of the Home Office to hand over the body led to her collapse and confined her to her bed, making it impossible for her to attend to-day's ceremony, or accompany the body to Ireland."

"Probably her indisposition will last some time, but it is hoped that no more serious complications will follow."

TRY TO SETTLE FIUME QUESTION

Italian Ministers Discuss Giving of Dalmatia as Compensation—D'Annunzio Persists in Detaining Steamship

ROME, Oct. 28.—Admiral Millo and Premier Giolitti have been in conference for two days, with the participation of the Ministers of War and the Navy, Bonomi and Secchi, on the question of giving Dalmatia to Jugoslavia in exchange for the independence of Fiume, Zara, which is independent, is accepted in the deal.

ROME, Oct. 28.—The Mayor of Fiume has come to Rome in the hope of reaching an understanding with the Government regarding the economic and financial conditions in that city. He said that Gabriele D'Annunzio refuses to release the steamer Cigno, despite pressure from Argentine and Uruguay, for which countries her cargo was destined, unless \$5,000,000 lire, the value of the cargo, is handed over to D'Annunzio.

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"WEDDING" GUESTS ARE DISAPPOINTED

VANCOUVER, B.C., Oct. 28.—More than fifty people are wondering what kind of a hoax was played on them on Wednesday afternoon, when they attended St. Paul's Church to witness a wedding. The ceremony was not performed because there was no bride and no bridegroom. After waiting at the church for quite a long time the guests dispersed.

"Yes, it is quite correct," said Rev. Harold G. King, rector of St.

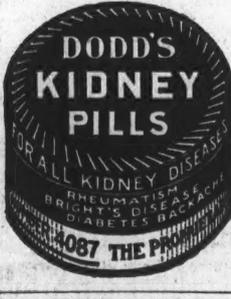
Paul's, when asked about the incident. "I was not personally concerned, as I had another engagement, but a lady requested a clergyman to be in attendance to perform the marriage ceremony, and Rev. T. E. Rowe went to the church in consequence."

A soloist was also present, and a number of people turned up, some on the special request of the prospective bride and some out of curiosity, to see whom the alleged bride was going to marry.

Time passed, there was no sign of the principals, and the gathering dispersed. The lady in the case is said to be a spinster about 45 years of age, who is regarded as somewhat eccentric. She apparently invited people freely to her "wedding" and engaged a clergyman and soloist, but she failed to turn up herself.

Pentitentiaries Commission
OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—The Royal Commission named recently to draft new regulations governing the administration of the Canadian penitentiaries, with the object of bringing about better conditions, has held its preliminary meeting in Ottawa. The commission will probably visit the majority of the penitentiaries.

The San Poll mine, of Republic, Wash., has commenced shipping ore to the Trail smelter.



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PRESIDENT HANNA IS IN AUTHORITY

Minister of Labor Says Any Complaints About Political Question Should Be Taken to C.N.R. Head

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 28.—Senator Gideon Robertson, Minister of Labor, is being drawn into a controversy with the Toronto District Trades and Labor Council (T.D.T.L.C.) which has been made by D. B. Hanna, president of the Canadian National Railways to the effect that no employees of the Government railways may hold public office. Following a protest against this statement, the meeting of the Toronto District Trades and Labor Council, Secretary Alfred Mance wrote to Hon. Mr. Robertson asking information as to the authority of President Hanna to make such an order.

A reply from Senator Robertson is to the effect that railway employees in Canada had the right to present any grievances they thought they might have to the proper officials of the company for adjustment, and assumes that if the C.N.R. employees had grievances they would present them to the C.N.R. officials through their organizations.

"Until this is done," Hon. Mr. Robertson said in his letter, "it is difficult to understand why the Toronto District Trades and Labor Council should interfere in the matter."

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—"Any person desiring information about the order must ask President Hanna. I am not being drawn into any controversy regarding it."

This was the statement of Senator Robertson, Minister of Labor, today when asked regarding a Toronto dispatch which stated that he was being drawn into a controversy with the Toronto District Trades and Labor Council in regard to the order prohibiting employees of the Canadian National Railways from entering politics. From the outset Senator Robertson has taken the stand that the administration of the Government railways was completely in the hands of President Hanna and the board of management, and that any objection to the order should be made to them, and not to the Government.

POSITION OF U. S. AS CREDITOR NATION

MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—John Jacob Arnold, vice-president of the Bankers' Union of Commerce, and general manager of the H. V. Green Company, Boston, addressing a meeting here last night on world economic conditions, said the position of the United States as a creditor nation was unenviable.

"It had been built up as a direct result of the war, while the position of Great Britain, Germany and France as creditor nations had been acquired by the efforts of the first in aiding the development of the United States, of the second in building up Somaliland and the Orient and of the third in building up Russia."

WOMEN'S PRESS CLUB HONORS COLONEL HAM

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—Colonel George Ham, of Montreal, the well-known public man of the Canadian Pacific Railway, had the distinction of being the only man at a dinner given in the board of trade rooms here last night by the Toronto Women's Press Club.

ACIDS IN STOMACH CAUSE INDIGESTION

Create Gas, Sourness and Pain How to Treat
Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, flatulency, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach and not to some deficiency. Lack of digestive juices, the delicate stomach lining, chronic indigestion is delayed and food sour, causing the disagreeable symptoms which every stomach sufferer experiences.

SERBIAN MINISTERS DISCREDIT REPORTS

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—A telegram received here from the Serbian Ministers denied the accuracy of a dispatch from Montreal stating that a cable had been received there from Colonel Burnham, of the Red Cross in Albania, declaring that the Serbians were destroying Albania and Montenegro with fire and sword.

SHOWS IN FAVOR OF REPUBLICANS

New York Herald's Estimate Gives Harding and Coolidge 346 Out of 531 Votes in Electoral College

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—The New York Herald this morning prints an estimate of the presidential election result in the United States next Tuesday, based, the newspaper declares, "on a careful study of the entire situation in connection with information received by The New York Herald from all parts of the country."

Harding and Coolidge, the Republican ticket leaders, are conceded 346 of the 531 votes in the electoral college, according to this forecast. Cox and Roosevelt, Democratic candidates, are allotted 174. The remaining sixty-one votes are named as doubtful, with fifteen likely to go to the Republican and 46 to the Democratic column.

Safe Republican states, in the Herald's view, are: California, Colorado, Connecticut, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Vermont, Washington, Wisconsin and Wyoming. These states are represented in the electoral college by 346.

Safe Democratic states are given as: Alabama, Arizona, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Texas and Virginia, a total of 124 electoral votes. Probable Republican states are Delaware, Utah and West Virginia, with 15 votes. Probable Democratic states are Alaska, Kentucky, Maryland, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico and Tennessee with 46 votes.

H. G. WELLS DENIES VANDERLIP STORY

LONDON, Oct. 28.—H. G. Wells, the author, whose name was referred to by Secretary of State Colby in reference to the visit of Winston Churchill to Russia, has issued a formal statement denying the correctness of reports made by Evan E. Young, United States Commissioner for the Baltic Provinces at Riga, concerning conversations with Wells was reported to have had with Nikolai Lenin about Vanderlip's proposal. Secretary Colby's statement, issued October 26, said the Young report, stated that Lenin had informed Mr. Wells that Vanderlip had claimed to represent Senator Harding. Senator Harding in a statement denied knowledge of Vanderlip.

CANADIAN CANALS CARRY MUCH TRAFFIC

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—Returns compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics show that during September there was considerable increase in traffic through Canadian canals and locks, despite a strike of seamen. There was an increase over September, 1919, of 1,545,574 tons, but a decrease from August, 1920, of 677,031 tons. Soft coal fell behind August by 492,449 tons, and this season it is behind last year by 889,072 tons. Hard coal is also behind by 77,272 tons, and wheat by 15,543,017 bushels, while iron ore is ahead of last year by 4,099,504 tons. The total traffic for the season is 55,194,179 tons against 52,887,710 tons in 1919.

PAYMENT OF DUTY ON BRITISH GOODS

MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—Initial steps have been taken by the Customs Department at Ottawa to clear up the difficulties in connection with the basis on which duty is payable on goods imported from Great Britain. In future duty will be payable on the exchange value of British paper money, as is the case with other countries, while it is understood that those who have paid duty on the par value of the British pound in August will be able to secure refunds of the amounts overpaid.

GREEKS DEPLORE DEATH OF KING

Closing Scenes of Alexander's Life—Speculation as to Constantine's Course—Coundouriotis Is Regent

ATHENS, Oct. 28.—Funeral services for the late King Alexander, which will be held Friday will be attended by the Crown Prince of Sweden, according to present arrangements. He is in this city at the present time. Other nations probably will be represented by their diplomatic officials here.

The entire press of Greece, in commenting on the death of King Alexander, deplore the loss of the young sovereign, who during a short reign had won great popularity. King Alexander died at 4:10 o'clock Monday afternoon. His wife, Madame Manos, was at the bedside, and the military staff of the King was in the room. Hope had been abandoned for two days, and the King lived only with the aid of oxygen.

Extreme Unction was given an hour before he passed away. Madame Manos, her beautiful face showing the ravages of grief, sat at the left of the bed weeping. Her sorrow was the greater because she is expecting motherhood soon.

There was deep disappointment and surprise that the Queen Mother Sophia did not come for family sentiment is deep in Greece. About four o'clock the last crisis occurred, and death followed within a few minutes. The King died fully conscious, but wearied to utter exhaustion by the long agony. He seemed to be making extreme efforts to speak, but could not.

Immediately after the King's death the metropolitan choir of Athens came to Tatol to recite prayers for the dead. The body of the King lies in the uniform of a generalissimo. His four aide-de-camps in full dress uniform watch at the bedside.

Premier Venizelos and the members of the cabinet came to Tatol yesterday to offer the widow the government's respects and condolences. Dowager Queen Olga, who has spent much time in the seclusion of a nunnery, arrived alone in Patras and came at once to Tatol.

The body of Alexander will lie in state today and tomorrow in the cathedra at Athens. The funeral will take place Friday, the interment being at Tatol, where King George, Alexander's grandfather, is buried.

Succession Question

The question of Prince Paul's accession to and Constantine's renunciation of the throne, is the absorbing topic of conversation here. Some of Constantine's partisans are pessimistic and say that his return is impossible. There is talk that Constantine's supporters, realizing his unpopularity, will throw over his cause and turn to the former heir-apparent, Prince George.

Others take a dark view, declaring that ex-King Constantine will remain inactive even after the elections and refuse to ratify Prince Paul's call to the throne or give the guarantees the government demands. It was reported that he would prefer to put the Venizelos government in an unsettled state and foster discord in Greece, in the hope of ultimately being called upon as its saviour.

Optimism at Lucerne

LONDON, Oct. 28.—According to the Lucerne correspondent of The London Times, ex-King Constantine's staff seem more optimistic of his chances today. One member said: "His day is coming."

The idea of Prince Paul being called to the throne was so remote until King Alexander's illness that it is understood the prince had been waiting for several weeks for a passport to the United States because he was tired of Lucerne.

NEBRASKA FARMERS USE CORN AS FUEL

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—Hundreds of thousands of bushels of corn may be burned as fuel by farmers in northern Nebraska this winter, according to reports brought here from northern counties. High prices of coal and a bounteous crop of corn are given as the chief reasons.

MEETS DEATH ON WAY TO JOIN RELATIVES

WINNIPEG, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Ida Engren died at the General Hospital yesterday afternoon from the effects of injuries received when she fell from a passenger train west-bound, two miles east of Winnipeg, October 19.

Mrs. Engren, who was 59 years old, had just come from her native land, Finland, to her family, who had decided to bring the mother out to end her days with them. She was en route to New Westminster. Her

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BRINGS UP CASE OF LA FOLLETTE

Candidate Malone, in New York, Contends Senator Justified in Statement About Cargo of Lusitania

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Dudley Field Malone, candidate for Governor on the Farmer-Labor ticket and former collector of the port of New York, in an address tonight declared that when the Lusitania was sunk by a German submarine, she carried a consignment of 4,200 cases of cartridges for the British Government, which contained a total of nearly eleven tons of black powder. The assertion was made in citing the case of Senator La Follette, who charged that the Lusitania carried explosives for the British.

"When the record of the Wilson administration becomes a matter of open history," Mr. Malone declared, "the world will realize that no Government perpetrated such a reign of oppression and secrecy upon a people."

Mr. Malone said that when Senator La Follette declared that the Lusitania carried explosives consigned to the British Government he was "immediately stung for expulsion from the Senate and a week ago, I came within a hair's breadth of that fate."

"When Senator La Follette was on trial before the elections committee within his right as a Senator," he continued, "he demanded from the treasury a copy of the report of the collector of the port of New York on the condition and cargo of the Lusitania. The Treasury Department referred him to the State Department, and the State Department refused on the ground that the report had become a part of the secret archives. As it happened, I wrote this report on the Lusitania, because I had examined the Lusitania in my capacity as collector of the port of New York, and it was upon the evidence compiled by me that the Lusitania was not armed, that President Wilson wrote his famous second Lusitania note to the German Imperial Government. But in my view, the ruthlessness of the German U-boat warfare could not justify the Washington administration in persecuting Senator La Follette for telling the truth, nor could German militarism be excused as a reason for refusing to tell the American people just what the Lusitania had on board when she was sunk."

"I considered then, and I consider now, that the persecution of La Follette on a charge which the administration knew to be false from evidence in its own possession, was a frame-up on Senator La Follette, and a fraud on the American people."

DR. BRIDGES APPEALS FOR RECONCILIATION

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Dr. Robert Bridges, British Poet Laureate, and chief mover in forwarding to German professors on October 17 an appeal for reconciliation, has written a letter to The Times defending himself and his fellow signers against an avalanche of criticism.

"The communication was signed," he writes, "by those on our side whose patriotism has not settled down into indiscriminate personal suspicion or illwill, and it appeals confidently to the same class on the other side. It is the intention of the signers of the appeal to encourage the moderate party in Germany which has always deplored that chauvinistic policy leading up to the Great War."

"People here talk as if they would readily forgive the Germans if there was nothing to forgive. They do not see that it is the fact that we were so terribly injured that makes our forgiveness so necessary and so powerful."

PREPARED TO TAKE CHARGE OF MICHELIV

VANCOUVER, B.C., Oct. 28.—Captain of Detectives Collins, of Chicago, and Deputy States Attorney J. J. Viteria have been in the city to take charge of Harold M. Micheliv, who was arrested here two weeks ago after being traced to Sylvia Court, where he was living with his wife and boy under the name of Harold Kaplan, by Detective Nick Harris, of Los Angeles, on a charge preferred by Chicago business men who alleged that he had swindled them out of \$81,000 on forged Government liquor certificates.

The application for extradition has been made, and will be carried through, provided that some sort of adjustment is not effected, as it is stated that the prisoner is desirous of making restitution. A \$6,700 automobile which he bought in Seattle has been located here, and confiscated, awaiting the outcome of the trial.

GOVERNMENT SEEKS ECONOMY IN PAPER

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—New regulations to be observed by Government clerical employees have been issued. Henceforth letters are to be single-written, signatures are to be typewritten, small sheets of official note paper where possible, and large-sized envelopes are to be used several times before being discarded. Departments will have gummed addressed labels for sealing. The recipient will cut through the label, preserve the envelope, and use it again by sealing the flap with his own label.

Even the messengers are cautioned not to discard twine, but to use it as often as possible, and when it is beyond further use, to forward it to the superintendent of stationery.

Dominion Ministers Busy
OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—Daily meetings of the cabinet are being held to clear up accumulations of business before the departure from Ottawa next week of the tariff commission and of the Canadian delegates to the assembly of the League of Nations. When they have left but few ministers will remain in the capital.

R. C. M. P. MEMBERS REACH PORT BURWELL

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—Word has reached R. C. M. P. headquarters here of the arrival at Port Burwell, on Cape Chidley, of Sergeant J. E. Wight and Constable Butler, R. C. M. P., who sailed from Halifax in one of the Government customs boats in August. Sergeant Wight reached Port Burwell, which is in the Hudson's Straits, September 25, after his sailing had been delayed by a strike at Halifax.

The R. C. M. P. detachment will make patrols of the surrounding territory and also assist the customs officials in their work of establishing a customs port at Burwell. Previously there had been practically no check on vessels going into the Hudson's Straits, but now, it is understood, all vessels passing through the Hudson's Straits will be required to pass custom at Port Burwell.

CONSERVATIVES NAME TICKET NEXT THURSDAY

Crowded Gathering of Party Supporters Prepare for Nominating Convention — Acclaim Mr. Boyser

Conservatives to the number of 200 thronged to its capacity the party headquarters in the Arcade Block last evening to discuss plans for the forthcoming election campaign, and select the date of the convention at which the four candidates who will contest this riding in the party's interest will be nominated. It was decided to hold the convention on Thursday evening next at the Alexander Club, the larger quarters being necessary owing to the large attendance which is certain to be present.

During the meeting several short speeches were made, the tenor of all being that the Conservative ticket to be nominated shall consist of the most representative, capable and prominent individuals, men and women, in whom the citizens of Victoria can have the utmost confidence.

The meeting also decided that admission to the convention gathering shall be by membership card or by signing of a roll at the meeting, the party so signing thus pledging himself or herself to the Conservative cause and to support the ticket as nominated.

A resolution expressing the confidence of Conservatives of Victoria in the leadership of Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., and pledging him their support was enthusiastically endorsed by unanimous vote.

Following the business portion of the meeting short addresses were made by Capt. H. W. R. Moore, who made an eloquent appeal to members of the party to lend their assistance in the routine work of the campaign, criticized Premier Oliver for his failure to bring forward for public consideration the Government's policy in respect of Government Control and other matters of vital interest to the electors, and expressing his entire confidence that the Conservative platform would meet with the whole-hearted support of the people.

Mr. George Lawrence, an old-time Conservative of Manitoba who, for seven years, was a member of the former Conservative administration in that Province in the capacity of Minister of Agriculture, was present and was introduced by the chairman, Mr. J. O. Dunford. Mr. Lawrence is now a resident of Victoria. He gave a brief outline of election organization methods in Manitoba, and asserted his readiness to assist the Conservative cause in Victoria at the coming election in any way that lay in his power.

Other speakers were Mr. J. R. Beckwith, Mr. H. A. Beckwith, Mr. R. W. Perry, Mr. Cresswell, a returned man, and others.

The meeting concluded with the singing of the National Anthem.

ITALIAN STEAMSHIP MEETS ADVENTURES

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Hardships at sea that made the trip of the Ancient Mariner seem comparatively comfortable were told by the skipper of the Italian steamer Presidente Wilson and his passengers, who arrived yesterday from Trieste and Naples.

Soon after leaving Trieste a wireless warning that a field of floating mines had broken loose caused a wide detour; then fire broke out in the forward rooms as Naples was reached. In the latter part of the trip the skipper argued the crew to go on strike, and at sea the next day two dozen stowaways were discovered, so the ship put back to Naples to debark them. The attempted mutiny by jumping overboard, and was arrested.

After leaving land again, the ship came upon seven Moors exhausted in a small boat. They said a severe storm washed away their sails when en route to Gibraltar.

A severe storm, amounting almost to a typhoon, which lashed huge waves over the entire liner, was encountered off Gibraltar. For six days she pushed against the head winds.

GERMANS BACK DOWN ON KIEL CANAL USES

PARIS, Oct. 28.—Germany, according to dispatches submitted to the council of ambassadors, will strictly observe the Allied interpretation of the clause of the peace treaty providing that the Kiel Canal shall be free to international traffic.

This is a reversal of the German Government's previous attitude, under which vessels carrying arms to Poland were stopped.

COLORED COAL MINES CLOSED

DENVER, Oct. 28.—Operations in all but four mines in the Northern Colorado coal fields ceased today as a result of a strike of miners for increased wages and a working agreement, according to reports received here. The four mines operating have unexpired contracts with the United Mine Workers of America.

C.P.R. Earnings

MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—Canadian Pacific Railway earnings for month of September, 1920: Earnings, \$2,099,387; expenses, \$1,610,632.77; net, \$488,754.23. Decrease, \$183,244.37. Increase in gross, \$2,495,536.32.

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QUEBEC WILL CHANGE PROHIBITION LAW

MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—D. R. Murphy, K.C., general administrator of the Prohibition law in Quebec, stated in an interview that changes in the law will be made at the next session of the Legislature with a view to the better carrying out of the law.

It is regarded as likely that this is the last year of the licensed vendor system, which it is generally admitted to be working out badly, says a writer in a Montreal paper.

The Quebec Government, he states, is averse to going into the liquor business, and there may be changes involving the handing over of licences to hotelmen of proven high reputation.

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A SETTLEMENT IN SIGHT.

The British miners will vote next week on new proposals designed to lead to the end of the present coal strike. The miners' leaders favor acceptance of the Government's offer, and since the workers are to get the two shilling wage increase unconditionally to the end of the year, and a national wage board is to be created, there can hardly be any doubt that the termination of the present industrial crisis is in sight. The one point upon which the Government held out was that the miners should be interested in increasing the coal output, a consideration which is the concern of the people as a whole. The Government, and particularly Mr. Lloyd George, deserves congratulations on the settlement that is pending. The miners' leaders have shown a conciliatory spirit which cannot but be approved by the workers in the forthcoming ballot. In the negotiations the attitude of the railway and transport workers exercised a large influence, as it was in opposition to any extension of the strike, and in favor of a settlement being reached. From the present indications the miners will be back at work by November 8 at latest. Brief as the strike has been it has inflicted a great deal of suffering on the population and heavy losses to British trade, and for these reasons must be regretted keenly by the country as a whole.

THE MANDATE OF B. C.

It is of the utmost importance that the Legislature be returned as a result of the election of December 1 should have a clear and definite mandate from the people, and that it should be so strong that the Government which is selected from it will be in a position to enforce the new law that will control the sale of liquor in the Province. No one who has the immediate welfare of British Columbia at heart can doubt the desirability at this stage of an administration that is strongly entrenched in public favor. There are indications that this Province is on the eve of an era of prosperity towards the maintenance of which Provincial legislation, and administrative power wisely directed, can contribute very largely. In many departments of governmental activity retrenchment is needed. There is, too, an under-current of public opinion very powerfully of the viewpoint that taxation has exceeded Provincial needs and that it is the municipalities, wherein is found some 85 per cent of the population of British Columbia, that should have allocated to them some of the existing sources of Provincial revenue.

Undoubtedly substantial profits will be derived from the sale of liquor under Government control. The contention that a portion of the proceeds should go to municipalities is not only legitimate but desirable in order that it may be a contributory factor in restoring municipal finances. The new revenue also gives a promise that other taxation can be reduced, while, in addition, there is no doubt whatever that retrenchment can be effected in the general administration in a manner which will not hurt the Province. More than once it has been pointed out in these columns how necessary it is that a new, or a greatly revised, agricultural policy should be undertaken, particularly in reference to land settlement. There is going to be a considerable influx of people to British Columbia and many of those who come will have some small capital and be willing to settle on the land. It is for a Government strongly entrenched in the public favor to outline a programme whereby such immigration can be fostered and conserved.

Another aspect of our political activities is the public desire that a halt should be called to the growing borrowing powers which have been given to the Government in recent years. The Province's credit is good, but that does not mean that a business administration should not make an inventory of the financial status and see what can be done to reduce existing obligations and avoid the creation of any new indebtedness, except what is absolutely essential in the public welfare. Included in a policy of retrenchment should be a review of the Civil Service administration which has not been conducted to the satisfaction either of the public or the Provincial employees since the passage of the Civil Service Act. Such a review should tend to meet the salary grievances which have been rife for the past few years, while, at the same time, ascertaining if the efficiency desirable cannot be encouraged with a smaller staff. Too many new Government appointments have been made for purposes which could have very well been carried out by the regular employees of the Civil Service, who could have been encouraged in the added work by greater remuneration.

British Columbia wants a Government staunchly supported by public

opinion which will be regarded with confidence elsewhere and the administrative strength of which will induce capital to come to the Province. That is an outstanding political desideratum in the era of development that is anticipated. There are very many aspects of Provincial development to which legislative activities can contribute in the coming years with which we hope to deal between now and December 1. Strong men and women, united in purpose, with a full knowledge of the situation and its possibilities, with vision, with legislative ability, and capable of interpreting the wishes of those who believe in the destiny of this great Province, are wanted in the party which will support the next Government in power in British Columbia. Such potential legislators exist. The country looks for leadership and is ready to give its mandate to a party which will be prepared to put into effect its wishes, not only in the matter of Government control but one which will legislate in a way that will insure Provincial co-operation in the time of prosperity that lies ahead.

THE NAVY LEAGUE.

One way in which public interest may be kept alive in the needs of naval defence on this coast is by contributing to the funds of the Navy League, an organization of practical and educative value. There is a campaign in Canada at present to raise \$750,000 for the purposes of the League. Money is being secured in this community, not by the usual propaganda methods, but in a quiet way for it is felt that the people of Victoria will support an institution of this character without any special appeal. This viewpoint, we hope, is fully justified, and if it is not this reminder may be of effect. Elsewhere in the Dominion considerable sums are being subscribed, for within recent years the Navy League has taken on a new lease of life, and at a time when its activities are keenly needed lest people forget the instrument which has maintained the welfare of the Empire, and the merchant marine which has carried the flag into every sea.

There are active, hard working members of the Navy League in this community who omit no opportunity to keep its aims before the public. The time they have devoted to the work should be an earnest of the support which the public are prepared to accord to their efforts. All over the Province there are branches which everywhere, so far as means will permit, are keeping up the educational work and assisting in developing a love of the sea so that the merchant marine of Canada may be manned by Canadians. Here on this coast there is a particular effort to train youths for a seafaring career, and a number have already been placed on vessels. There are few phases of development more likely to redound to the ultimate advantage of the country than this movement, which is deserving of far more encouragement than it has yet received. Two of the country's great needs are: first, the development of her resources, and, second, the shipping of her products overseas. In this way wealth will be continually added to the Dominion.

WELCOME FOR BISHOP AND MRS. SCHOFIELD

Reception Held Last Night at Christ Church Schoolroom Attended by Hundreds of People of Parish

The Bishop of Columbia and Mrs. Schofield last night at the Cathedral schoolroom were tendered a formal reception by the people of Christ Church, and surrounding parishes, this being in welcome to them on their return to Victoria after a long absence in England.

The hall was filled to crowding, and the greetings were of the most hearty and spontaneous nature, while following the more formal part of the programme those present pressed forward to shake hands with the Bishop and Mrs. Schofield.

Mr. K. Ross Sutherland acted as chairman, and in the opening remarks he referred to the special mission which had taken the Bishop to the Old Land, also speaking of the carrying on of the work in the Diocese in His Lordship's absence. Mr. Lindley Crease, Chancellor of the Synod, gave the formal address of welcome, infusing his remarks with a sincerity of expression which was undoubtedly the reflection of the collective sentiment. Other speakers, most of whom referred in one way or another to the fact that Bishop Schofield had attended the now notable Lambeth Conference, and voicing their pleasure that he and Mrs. Schofield had reached Victoria once more, were the Rev. Archdeacon Sweet and Rev. Mr. Archbold.

In his reply the Bishop gave a brief synopsis of the work on which he had been engaged in England, both in connection with the British Columbia and Yukon Church Aid Society, on behalf of which he spoke in many places, and at the Lambeth Conference. Of the latter he would speak in greater detail on Sunday, as announced.

The Hall was profusely decorated with Autumn leaves, asters and chrysanthemums, and has seldom in its history looked more attractive. There was a short musical programme interwoven with the addresses, a male quartette supplying one item, and Mrs. Reid and Miss Hodgson singing solos. The ladies of the church had also provided delicious refreshments, and the informal social period which followed the more conventional part of the proceedings was greatly enjoyed.

RETAILERS READY TO PROTEST TAXES

Will Probably Lay Their Case Before Premier Meighen—System Is Called "Biggest Abomination" in Business

The Board of Trade will probably make representations to Premier Meighen tomorrow with a view to lodging a protest against the luxury tax system now in force. A committee of the retail section of the board was instructed last night to interview retail merchants of the city with a view to obtaining their ideas, and the statement submitted to the Premier will conform to the views of the majority.

The retail section was stirred to action largely as a result of a letter from Mr. W. Ballard, one of the leading members, who declared that the present system led to "chaos, confusion—hades."

"The present luxury tax is the biggest abomination to retail business that has ever been devised," wrote Mr. Ballard. "Any Government wishing to hold the goodwill of the people will at once have it repealed."

"Repulsive to Public"
 "It is repulsive to the buying public, who regard it with bitterness and hatred. It is causing a general feeling of annoyance and confusion both to customer and merchant. The conscientious merchant is constantly being penalized. When he insists on collecting the tax, customers on many occasions refuse to make the intended purchase and invariably search out the merchant who, either through ignorance or design, fails to collect the tax. It is too unwieldy, too comprehensive, too complicated to control effectively. It has proved its hurtfulness to business and has earned its extermination."

"Many articles of merchandise are being renamed and are being sold by merchants who are endeavoring to gain sales by the method of 'beating the devil round the bush.' Scarves are being called 'mufflers,' and mufflers are not taxable.
 "Confusion still exists as to whether a dressmaker must pay the luxury tax or sales tax or neither. For many weeks we collected the luxury tax from dressmakers; who complained bitterly at our action and cited firms who were collecting only one per cent sales tax on the same merchandise that we were collecting the ten per cent luxury tax. We took this matter up with the Inland Revenue office in Victoria, and we got the verbal ruling that the dressmaker was 'classed by the act as a manufacturer' and the retailer who sold the goods was for the moment considered a wholesaler, and the dressmaker thereby should only pay one per cent sales tax.

Interpretations Differ
 "Since that ruling was made, a further interpretation by the Inland Revenue office was given to us. This new ruling said the sales tax stopped when it reached the retailer, and the retailer could not collect either sales tax or luxury tax from the dressmaker."

"This latter ruling was cancelled within twenty-four hours. We are now informed that the retailer must collect the luxury tax from the dressmaker, notwithstanding the fact that the dressmaker can buy the same merchandise from the wholesaler or jobber and pay one per cent sales tax.

Chaos—Confusion—Hades!
 "Where are we? And now comes still more confusion, more annoyance, more hindrance and more expense in operating the retail business—the attachment of stamps! Could any person or number of persons suggest anything more impractical in actual operation than this costly method of commercial conception? In our business on busy days it will be unworkable, even though we employ a special stamp agent whom we should pay to collect taxes from an unwilling public for an unbusinesslike Government. The investment in stamps and in perforating machines is considerable, and the value of stamps held in stock by merchants throughout the country will be enormous.

Always Pick on Retailers
 "Why is it that retailers—and retailers only and always—are constantly faced with all this humbug and annoyance when a straight tax on sales would produce more revenue and at the same time be simpler to the country? This, with no collecting humbug and a satisfied buying public. Retailers are and always have been ready and willing to do their duty in liquidating the cost of the war, but they want business administration, economic expenditure of public money, efficient management in collecting taxes. Retailers are being penalized, and victimized, and hitherto have been led like lambs to the slaughter, regularly, by the administration, economic expenditure of public money, efficient management in collecting taxes. Retailers are being penalized, and victimized, and hitherto have been led like lambs to the slaughter, regularly, by the administration, economic expenditure of public money, efficient management in collecting taxes."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

"Ireland Needs Your Help."

Sir,—I regret to find that in churches in Victoria, and I fear among individuals, too, so little thought is given to the needs of Ireland at this crisis. I spent a week lately in Ireland, in a part where the King's writ no longer runs, and Sinn Féin courts are regularly held, and their justice administered, and orders of the Republic of Ireland are openly posted up, houses raided, mails searched, murders unnoticed, etc., etc. I did not know that my visit would be so warmly appreciated by my Loyalist friends, with their wives and little ones, are nobly endeavoring to keep the English flag flying, but feel that they are deserted by their friends in England, and by the British Government. But you can help them right here in Victoria; and if you do not, you are, to that extent, responsible for the continuance of trouble in Ireland.
 "More things are wrought by prayer than this world dreamt of, so wrote Lord Tennyson; and Lord Kitchener,

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 Regular \$11.95 Wool Surface Oriental Rugs, size 36 x 72 inches. Special today, \$6.98.
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You no doubt wonder why such big reductions are being offered on Fall Coats at the start of the season. The reason, our sales on these garments have fallen short of our expectations. Prices have been cut deep on every coat in order to reduce our stock.

Coats regular to \$39.50. **Reduced to \$23.95**
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Four Big Bargains in Stylish Fall and Winter Hats

Don't let the low prices prevent your investigation of the values offered. The prices in no way represent the value of the hats, but are simply an indication of our determination to reduce our stock of Fall and Winter millinery.

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Smart New Gauntlet Gloves in Well-Known Makes

Kayser Chamoisette Gloves with loose cuffs and strap wrists; all sizes. Price, pair, \$2.00.
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 Perrin's Buckskin Gauntlet Gloves with gusset wrist; a soft, pliable glove in mastic shade; all sizes. Pair, \$4.50.
 Perrin's Cape Gauntlet Gloves in the new brown shade, with contrasting wrist gusset; all sizes. Price, pair, \$6.75.

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Values to 75c for 49c
 Beach Cloth, Mercerized Linen, Dimity Stripes and Novelty Voiles; values to 75c. Reduced to, yard, 49c.

Lord Roberts, Admiral Beatty, and others, all urged the necessity of the nation's prayers during the late war; "trusting that it would be used widely, both publicly and privately, as there is urgent need for earnest and constant prayer for our country at this time."

The Archbishop of Rupertland has also issued a special prayer for Ireland for use throughout the diocese of Rupertland.

Will not Victoria do her bit, here at the extreme western limit of the Empire, out of the troubles that beset it in every other part? Where an absolutely independent Irish Republic is demanded, England cannot compromise; nor can she desert her loyal citizens; so as an "impasse" seems to have been reached; "but man's extremity is God's opportunity;" "thus saith the Lord God—I will yet for this be engaged by the House of Israel, to do it for them."

As a last word, let me beg that no one shall ever criticize Lloyd George or those working with him; they know things that you know nothing about; there are storms ahead threatening the existence of the British Empire, yes, of Christianity itself; and so Prime Minister, and Governors, ever had to steer Britannia's

EUROPEAN CHILDREN WILL TASTE SWEETS

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Many European children, born during the lean war years, will enjoy the taste of sweets next Christmas for the first time in their lives as a result of price declines in this country. Because of lower costs the American Relief Administration announced today it would add two and one-half pounds of sugar and one pound of cocoa to all packages bought with Hoover food drafts, beginning Nov. 1.

Ontario Claims—Owners Disturbed
 COBALT, Oct. 28.—Owners of patented mining claims in the district of Temiskaming are perturbed over the order-in-council of October 18, declaring properties forfeited to the Crown and open for restaking on and after noon of October 22, because of failure of the owners to pay certain taxes under the Mining Tax Act. It is claimed that the owners have not been given direct notice in the matter.

Siberian Mission Blocked
 PEKING, Oct. 27.—Efforts of the mission from the Far Eastern Republic of Siberia to lease a private residence here for headquarters have been blocked by the Chinese Government, according to reliable information. The contract for the building was on the point of being closed when the Government intervened. It is said.

Copper was known to and used by the aboriginal races of America.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The British Colonist of October 27, 1870.)
 Whales Fishing—Mr. Hutchinson, who has just returned from Hovsbay Island, reports fourteen whales secured. He was present at the catching of one monster, and describes the scene as interesting and exciting. The result of the season's work thus far is very gratifying.

Municipal Election—The clerk of the Municipal Council gives notice that a show of hands for a Mayor and six Councillors will take place at the police barracks, at 11 o'clock noon on the 5th inst., and that a poll, if any, will be taken on the day following at the place indicated in the notice.

Fall of Water—The contraction of the Fall of Water with 125,000 men in a grave disaster to the French cause, it is impossible that Hamilton surrendered after sending a plea for the withdrawal of the German armies from all French soil excepting Lorraine and Alsace, because his action could not bind the French Government to peace on such conditions. The war will go on until either Paris is captured, or the Germans have retreated a second time.

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BRITISH OIL COMPANY WILL SUPPLY FRANCE

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Announcement of the signing of an agreement by a French group and the Anglo-Persian Oil Company for development on a large scale of oil supplies from British sources, is made by The London Times. The project contemplates the creation of a fleet of tank steamers flying the French flag and the establishment of large storage tanks at the principal ports of France.

In its editorial notes the newspaper says the rapid rise of the British oil organization is welcomed in the interests of consumers of oil, who in the past have been almost entirely at the mercy of two foreign corporations.

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PREMIER RETICENT AS TO HIS COURSE

Not Yet Ready, He States, to Announce Where He Will Run as Candidate—Soldiers Call Conference

"I can say yet make no statement," said Premier Oliver yesterday following his return from the Mainland, where he spent Thursday conferring with the Liberal party heads, in response to the query as to where he will run at the forthcoming Provincial elections.

Rumor has had it that the Premier contemplated forsaking Dewdney, the riding which he has held in the last Legislature, and entering the lists in his old-time riding of Delta as well as running in Victoria.

"I have nothing for publication," said the Premier.

"Report has it that Liberals of Victoria would like to see your name on their ticket here," it was suggested to the Premier.

"Well, perhaps they would, but it might be as well to wait until I am asked."

"Haven't you yet been asked?"

"I have not yet received what you might say was a formal request," laughed the Premier, who made it clear that he had nothing further to say on the matter.

The decision of the Liberal executive to postpone definite announcement of the date of the nominating convention and, in the meantime, to rest content with providing for some date between the 3rd and 8th of November, taken in conjunction with the eleventh-hour withdrawal of the annual meeting of the Victoria Liberal Association, a meeting scheduled to take place last evening, has created animated gossip in local political circles and especially in the opposition camps.

At Wednesday night's executive meeting it was suggested that this meeting could be held within a few days, but the members of the executive, of whom but a few were present, decided to postpone it indefinitely. This action is hailed in opposition circles as evidence that all is not well within the local Liberal ranks and that there still exists much of the soreness which, it was no secret, prevailed among the Liberals some time ago when the action of many of their prominent members in supporting the resignation of the government, and the internecine quarrels over the question of the right of the executive as a whole, as distinguished from a small clique therein, to make recommendations for appointments to the government service, caused a decided rift in the inside party organization.

At the Liberal executive meeting Wednesday evening Mr. Tom McEwen was named campaign secretary. A joint meeting of all four wards' organizations has been called for next Monday evening at the party headquarters in order that the executive may take further steps for the convention to be held.

Members of the ex-service organizations, too, are not satisfied with the political situation as it has developed here. Members of these organizations make no secret that a certain element in the Grand Army of United Veterans, the recently-organized body frankly pledged to political action, has been inaugurating a campaign in conjunction with a labor element off its own bat, so to speak, and without reference to the attitude or wishes of the other organizations. The object of this manner of pledging soldier support to any party or organization has created some keen discussion in the ranks of the G. W. V. A., the Veterans of France and the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada. The last named organization has stepped into the arena and issued a circular letter suggesting that a meeting of members of all ex-service organizations be held. It is suggested that this meeting might be held next Sunday afternoon in the rooms of the Army and Navy Veterans, when the whole question of the participation, if any, of those organizations in the constitution of which ban politics, in any campaign plan fathomed by the Grand Army of United Veterans will be discussed.

The invitation is issued over the signature of General R. P. Clark, president of the Army and Navy Veterans. The G. W. V. A. and Veterans of France will, it is stated, send delegates to the meeting and the invitation is as follows:

"Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, October 27, 1920.

"Dear Sir and Comrade,—Feeling that many matters affecting the ex-service men as a body need careful consideration and probably concerted action, I am asking you, knowing your great interest, to meet together with two others of your organization and a similar number from the other ex-service clubs on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the board room of the above or any place you care to designate for a purely informal exchange of opinion in regard to the present political situation.

"Would you be good enough to advise the secretary of the above whether you will be present or not.

"Thanking you, I am,

"Yours fraternally,

"(Sgd.) R. P. CLARK."
In Vancouver

"At least twenty-five candidates will contest the six Vancouver seats at the forthcoming election," says The Vancouver World.

"The definite announcement that the soldier-labor fusion will place candidates in the field has ensured at least eighteen candidates. To this number is added the name of Mr. Crossfield, an independent, and Mr. G. J. Ashworth, the choice of the Rent-payers' Association. The Federated Labor Party purposes entering at least three, and although no definite has been heard from the Socialist Party of Canada, it is practically certain that one and perhaps two names will be submitted to the returning officers."

"One of the features of Tuesday night's meeting of the United and Public Service Council was the fact that the platform of the Rent-payers' Association was unanimously endorsed. It was at first thought that Mr. Ashworth might be induced to run under the soldier-labor-independent banner, but his supporters believe that running solely as an independent has the chance of election are practically a certainty. The slogan, "Five for your party and one for yourself" will, it is claimed, appeal to many rent-payers."

In New Westminster

An interesting political situation

has developed in New Westminster. Commenting upon it The Columbian, the leading paper in that city, says:

"The Liberal machine in New Westminster at present resembles a submerged U-boat over whose supposed lurking place a depth charge has been dropped. All is silent on the surface, but vague hints of an internal struggle come up."

"The struggle is said to be raging over an inclination on the part of some of the younger element to invite Premier John Oliver to contest the riding. A Vancouver newspaper, which is suspected of Liberal leanings, announced over the week end that it was officially stated that Mr. Oliver would be invited to be a candidate here. This assertion was flatly denied by the secretary of the association, Mr. J. A. Courtenay.

"In the meantime it is officially announced that an open convention of Liberals for the purpose of nominating a candidate, will be held in St. Patrick's Hall next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

"In Liberal circles there is much speculation as to the probable choice of a standard bearer, provided the open convention is allowed to have its way. As usual some of the prominent old war horses are being groomed for the fray, but there is said to be a well-defined movement on foot to sweep away from the well-worn groove and select a candidate among the younger element."

Tonight the Trades and Labor Council will hold a special meeting at Labor Hall, North Park Street, to consider the question of the participation of organized labor in the forthcoming election campaign.

The Saanich Liberal Association will also meet tonight in the Arcade Rooms to fix the date of its nominating convention.

Politics at Duncan

DUNCAN, Oct. 28.—With the forthcoming Provincial elections just a little over one month distant there is considerable activity in political circles, and many murmurings and rumblings over the outlook. Mr. Kenneth Forrest Duncan, the late local representative in the Provincial House, has announced his intention to stand again, on the platform of Independent Soldier candidate, the same as he was elected on last time. The extent of the opposition he will face is still an uncertainty.

The Conservative Party is in the field with Mr. G. A. Cheeke, of Cobble Hill, as their standard bearer, and the fight may possibly develop into a three-cornered one, as there are some who urge that a farmer representative should run. A meeting of the district representatives of the U.F.C. will be held this evening, when this question will come under discussion, and the opinions of the various sections will be heard.

In Alberni Riding

PARKSVILLE, Oct. 28.—The soldiers and farmers have already taken steps to get together in the coming election in the Alberni riding, where they will no doubt have a candidate in the field. Representatives from the United Farmers of Parksville and Qualicum Beach local, and the Great War Veterans at Parksville at Erington, met on Wednesday night at the latter place, and it was unanimously decided to nominate a man for the coming election. A committee was formed to run a campaign on the Parksville side of the mountain, and steps have been taken to get the support of the Veterans in the two Alberni towns. Early next week a convention will take place at which veterans and farmers from all over the riding will be present. The committee formed included men from Parksville, Nanoose, French Creek, Erington and Qualicum Beach.

It is noticeable throughout the district that never before have voters of both parties shown such universal approval of having a member in the House who is allied to neither of the old parties.

CONTRACTORS SHOW INTEREST IN BRIDGE

Applications for Specifications Received by City Authorities From Six Big Engineering and Construction Concerns

Six contracting firms have already applied to City Engineer F. M. Preston for plans and specifications of the proposed John Street Bridge with a view to preparing estimates and submitting bids. This is taken as a favorable indication, as it is only a little more than a week since the city commenced to advertise for tenders.

Some of the biggest bridge and general construction companies have manifested an interest in the Johnson Street bridge, and inquiries have been received from firms operating on both sides of the international border. Even the United States government has asked for specifications.

The city is not only advertising for tenders in the daily newspapers, but also in a number of Canadian and American technical journals enjoying a wide circulation among engineering and contracting firms, so that every corporation in the business will have a chance to put in a bid.

Mr. Preston stated yesterday that he would be prepared to give out the specifications today, as stated in the advertisements. The decision of the City Council to have tenders called for on a lump sum, as well as a schedule basis has meant some additional work but this will be completed in time.

Tenders on only the substructure are now being called for. They will be acceptable to City Comptroller James L. Raymur up to noon of November 22.

Germany's Vast Deficit

BERLIN, Oct. 28.—The Reichstag yesterday in the minister of finance announced that the ordinary budget amounted to 40,000,000,000 marks and the treaty budget 41,000,000,000 marks, while the budget of state control showed a deficit of about eighteen billion marks.

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REALTY MEN MEET

City Officials to Discuss Property Values With Members of Real Estate Exchange

A special meeting of members of the Victoria Real Estate Exchange will be held in the Femberton Building, Rooms 212, 213 and 214, this evening at 8 o'clock, at which Alderman W. J. Sargent and Mr. W. G. Cameron, the inspector of reverted city lots, have promised to be present. The object of the meeting is to discuss with these gentlemen the effect on the value of property owned by citizens on which taxes have been paid and the effect on the business of real estate agents of the method by which the city proposes to dispose of properties title to which it has taken through tax sales.

Another matter which will be discussed is municipal sources of taxation in reference to the coming Provincial election.

The president, Mr. Alfred Carmichael, impresses on all members the

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RETAILERS SCORE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

Mayor and Aldermen Have Been Unfair to Business Interests, Speakers at Board of Trade Meeting Declare

Declaring that the retail merchants of Victoria have been treated unfairly by this year's City Council, members of the retail section of the Board of Trade argued that it was time the businessmen of the city got together and had a representative of their class elected to one of the aldermanic benches. The discussion did not result in definite action, but the matter will probably be again considered at the next meeting.

"There is no use in trying to get around the fact that we have been humbugged this year by the City Council," said Mr. Howard Stevenson. "It is all because we have had no representative in the Council, and if we can find a way to get a representative for election I for one will work my head off to get him in."

"With proper representation," he went on, "there would have been no such crazy by-law as the overhead fixtures scheme. Instead of having someone in the Council who could act in our behalf, we have been forced to go up there in deputations and holler our heads off only to be laughed at by members of the Council. It isn't right."

Someone suggested that a full ticket of businessmen be submitted to the ratepayers, but others considered that the strength should be concentrated behind one or possibly two candidates.

"Mr. Christie was a good representative of the retail men, but he said that he would vote it again with that bunch," said Mr. A. Brockhurst.

"That's what they all say," said Mr. Stevenson. "They don't like the company. The City Council has made Victoria the laughing stock of Canada. Back in Toronto they have joked about the sidewalk and curfew by-laws. It is no longer just funny."

ENGLISH VISITOR ENJOYED THE ISLAND

Wife of Manufacturer of Coleman's Mustard Writes to Development Association

Mrs. Coleman, wife of the famous manufacturer of the Coleman Mustard, was among the visitors to Vancouver Island last Summer, accompanied by her son and daughter. She has written to Mr. Thompson, secretary of the Victoria and Vancouver Island Development Association, expressing her thanks for the help given by this organization in mapping out an Island itinerary for her when she was here, her trip including Sprout Lake, Alberni, Cameron River, and other points which made charming stepping-off places in the two weeks' tour.

"We are home again after our enjoyable two months' trip in Canada, and must thank you for your help in making our stay in Vancouver Island so agreeable, and also for putting us in touch with Mr. Thompson who arranged our itinerary. We saw a great deal and most thoroughly enjoyed our trip. Our one regret was that we had not time for a more extended trip of the Island."

Mrs. Coleman mentions that the fish "were not kind." They saw salmon trout but with the exception of two Tsee salmon averaging over forty pounds apiece, caught by her son, they had no success. Before they left the island they expressed their intention of returning at some future time.

STORE WILL OPEN NEXT AUGUST

Hudson's Bay Company Sets Date to Re-Enter Business in Victoria—Employees Will Be Engaged Locally.

The Victoria store of the Hudson's Bay Company will be open for business next August, according to a statement made by Mr. H. E. Burbridge, Stores Commissioner. Mr. Frank Glolma has just returned from a visit to Vancouver, where, as a representative of the local branch of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, he interviewed Mr. Burbridge on the subject of the engagement of local labor in connection with the store in this city.

Mr. Burbridge says that it is the Hudson's Bay Company's policy to engage local people wherever its stores are established. Some hundreds of employees will be wanted in the store here, and the commissioner assured Mr. Glolma that returned soldiers and their dependents will, whenever possible, be given the preference.

Those returned soldiers and their dependents who, on the basis of their experience, are anxious to secure employment when the local store is opened, are asked to register their names with Mr. Glolma at the offices of the S.C.R. In the course of time this list will be submitted to Mr. Burbridge at his request. It should be clearly understood that it will be several months before actual employment in the store will be available, but it is thought desirable, following the promise given by Mr. Burbridge, that a list should be compiled at as early a date as possible.

SERIOUSLY INJURED IN MOTOR COLLISION

Mr. Thomas Cooper at St. Joseph's Hospital in Serious Condition—Run Down by Machine

In a motor collision at the corner of Niagara and Orange streets, yesterday afternoon at 2:35 o'clock, Mr. Thomas Cooper, of the firm of Messrs. Brown & Cooper, was badly injured, and is now lying at St. Joseph's Hospital in a condition which, while not deemed to be critical, will require a long and tedious recovery. He was thrown violently from his motor and sustained several fractured ribs, a fractured nose, and severe scalp wounds.

Mr. Cooper was driving a motor delivery rig south on Oswego Street, and was almost across the intersection at Niagara Street when the motor car driven by Mr. Peter Campbell, of the Returned Soldiers' Auto Stand, crashed into the rear of the former's car. Campbell was driving west on Niagara Street at the time.

Mr. Cooper was rendered unconscious by the force of impact to the pavement. A hurry up call was sent into police headquarters and Constable Andrew Wood responded in the patrol, in which the injured man was being attended by Dr. Bechtel. His face and scalp were cut by flying glass from the shattered windshield of his motor. His delivery rig was badly damaged by the collision.

RETAILERS HERE DELAY PURCHASES

"Playing Safe" by Marking Time Until Manufacturers Start Decline in Quotations—Hold Up Spring Orders

In anticipation of a drop in prices, Victoria merchants will not stock themselves heavily with goods for sale in the Spring, judging from the sentiment expressed by members of the retail section of the Board of Trade last night.

"Speaking for my own firm, we are going to let the manufacturers sweat a while," said Mr. H. I. Maliek. "The retailers have been bearing more than their share of the load for a long time, and it is time that the manufacturers had their turn."

Mr. Maliek said he did not expect a slump in the market. Prices would be reduced only gradually, he believed.

"But the manufacturers are coming to their senses," he went on. "They are beginning to realize that the luxury tax and other conditions demand a cut in quotations, and prices have simply got to come down."

"But don't the manufacturers say that prices are not due for a drop just now," someone asked.

"That's what they all assure me," said Chairman H. B. Price. "They say there isn't going to be any radical cut in prices, but we have sent all travellers back without orders and that seems to be the right game to play."

The section received and filed a letter from the Sidney Board of Trade, complaining against "news-paper propaganda," which gives the impression that prices are due for a decline.

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ARRANGE AUDIENCE WITH MR. MEIGHEN

Prime Minister to Hear Delegates of G.W.V.A. on Saturday Regarding Problems of Returned Men

Arrangements have been made by the Victoria unit of the Great War Veterans' Association for an audience with the Hon. Arthur Meighen, Prime Minister of Canada, following his arrival in the city on Saturday afternoon.

A wire was sent to the Premier some days ago, resulting in the receipt of an answer yesterday to the effect that all interviews were in the hands of a committee and asking the veterans to see Senator Barnard in that connection. This was immediately done, with the result that an interview has been arranged by Senator Barnard on behalf of the G.W.V.A. for Saturday afternoon between the hours of 5:30 and 6 p.m.

Matters to be discussed include the various grave problems facing the city, particularly the growing unemployment situation as it affects returned men. It is probable, too, that the increasing numbers of disabled veterans finding their way to the Province will be one of the questions in the solution of which the Prime Minister will be asked to help.

The G.W.V.A. delegates to wait upon Premier Meighen are President Stone and Comrades Winsby, Clearhue, Axon and Hart.

OBITUARY NOTICES

WILSON—The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Wilson, the wife of Mr. George Wilson, who passed away at her home, 726 Discovery Street, last Wednesday, will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. The Rev. J. L. Batty will officiate. Deceased was born in Scotland 24 years ago, and had resided in this city for the past ten years. She is survived by her husband, two sons, David, of Alberta, and Thomas at home; five daughters, Mrs. Jones, of Alberta; Mrs. Vaughan, city; and Nellie, Agie and Queenie at home. There also survive five grandchildren. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

BEDDARD—The funeral of the late Joseph Beddard, who passed away on October 28 at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. The Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick officiated and many friends attended the service. The hymns sung were "All People That On Earth Do Dwell" and "Abide With Me." Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

MOUNT VERNON, Wash., Oct. 28.—L. E. Morris, a tractor salesman of Billingham, was burned to death here at about 6 o'clock this morning when the Osterman building, a two-story structure, was gutted by fire.

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IN THE COURTS

Supreme Court
In the Supreme Court yesterday, Mr. Justice Morrison granted a decree absolute in the undefended divorce suit of Meighen vs. Meighen, the wife being the petitioner. Mr. J. A. Allman appeared for the petitioner.

County Court
In the County Court yesterday His Honor Judge Lampman dismissed the charge against Charles Greenwood of stealing an Evinrude marine engine from a Summer house in a garden of Beach Drive, Oak Bay. The learned judge said that the only evidence connecting the accused with the theft of the engine was that of a boy, who must have been an accomplice if his story were to be accepted. As this evidence was not corroborated by that of an independent witness, His Honor could not regard it as sufficient to warrant the accused being put upon his defence. He would declare the defendant not guilty and would dismiss the charge. Mr. H. C. Lowe appeared for the defence. Mr. J. E. Brandon prosecuted for the Crown.

Earthquake Recorded

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—An earthquake of moderate intensity was recorded today at Georgetown University seismographical observatory, beginning at 8:01 a.m. and lasting until 8:40 a.m. The centre of the disturbance was estimated at 4,300 miles from Washington.

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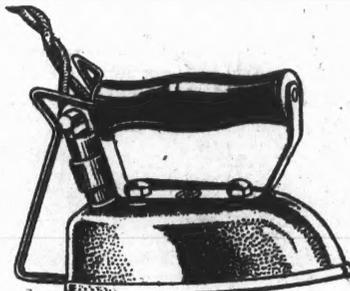
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SPECIAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A SPECIAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held in the G. W. V. Rooms, 701 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C., FRIDAY, the 29th October, 1920, at 8 o'clock p.m.

As the full statutory notice for a Special General Meeting has not been given, the proceedings will necessarily be informal, but the directors desire to meet the shareholders as early as possible.

Shareholders must produce their pass books or share certificates to entitle them to admission.

BUSINESS: To consider the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account as at 30th September, 1920.

By Order of the Board,
(Signed) JOHN SMITH,
Secretary (pro tem.).

WEDDINGS

King-Crotty.
The marriage was solemnized yesterday morning by Rev. Dr. W. Leslie Clay, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, between Edward Hammond King, eldest son of Mrs. King and the late Elliott Hammond King, and Clara Henrietta Mary Love, only daughter of H. S. Crotty, Craigdarroch Road. Mr. and Mrs. King left immediately for a motor trip to the island and on their return to Victoria will reside at 123 Harbinger Avenue.

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YARROWS' SOCIAL WAS GREATLY ENJOYED

Athletic Association Held First Entertainment Season in K. of P. Hall Last Night

Yarrows, Limited, Amateur Athletic Association held the first of their series of entertainments this season in the K. of P. Hall last night, which turned out very successfully. Mr. N. A. Yarrows, president of the association, acted as chairman, and briefly outlined the growth and success of this young and energetic association.

The concert was well arranged, and those taking part were: Miss Barfoot, Miss M. Isard, Mrs. E. F. Gould, Mr. L. Conyers, Mr. H. Hutchison, Mr. A. Adams, Mr. G. Guy. No doubt these capable and distinguished artists were enjoyed by everyone, and the thunderous applause ample evidence of their appreciation.

On the conclusion of the concert, the floor was cleared for dancing, and the strains of Perry's orchestra brought both young and old to the modern pastime of "tripping the light fantastic."

The refreshments, which were provided by the ladies of the association, could not have been improved upon, and satisfaction was expressed by everyone, as to the quantity and quality.

The dance broke up in the wee hours, and the general opinion of everybody was that they had had a very enjoyable time, and no doubt will be looking forward to the next social evening.

Mr. W. Spencer acted as master of ceremonies, and Mr. C. Palmer, with his committee, deserves great credit for the way in which he so ably managed the duties of convener.

Ladies' Suit Length Sale—Imported British Woollens now being sacrificed at Fyvie Bros. (almost opposite Post Office). Phone 1194.

The Marriage of Anne

(By May Christie)

XLV.—A VOICE ON THE PHONE
A great city at night can be a dreary place.

I sat in my sixth-floor bedroom, and reflected on that fact.

If only there was someone I could talk to!

Nell Saunders? What of him? He had given me his address. The Bachelors' Club. He had particularly asked me to let him know if I were in any difficulty. I could call him up on the telephone.

But pride forbade.

Besides—did I not owe him one thousand dollars—with little hope of paying it?

No, I mustn't turn again to Saunders. That would never do.

He might communicate with aunt. He would discover my whereabouts. I would be further humiliated, if that were possible.

Julie?

Nothing in the world would make me go to Julie. A false friend she'd be—right through.

And then I recollected that Julie had a small flat of her own, somewhere in this very neighborhood.

Neither aunt nor I had visited her here. As a matter of fact, I don't think the smart Frenchwoman ever occupied her flat for long. She was too fond of hanging on to rich friends.

And her amusing qualities gave her the entrée into many delightful homes, which entree perhaps a stricter inquiry into Julie's history might have forbidden.

Just for a second, I felt that it would pass the time if I could go and look Julie up!

"Anne, where's your pride, you idiot!" I stared at my reflection in the mirror, angrily.

But loneliness was on me. I could not stand this solitary state another minute.

So I descended to the lounge below. It was about nine o'clock.

One or two couples sat about the place. The lounge was rather badly lit.

I noticed three women in a corner. One of them had a chic air. They were talking confidentially, their heads close together. I couldn't see them properly.

Then the woman with the chic air turned. It was Julie!

I caught my breath. Julie—at this crisis!

What was she doing in this cheap hotel?

"My little Anne!" She had caught sight of me, and was on her feet in a twinkling. "Anne—all alone! What does it mean?"

I smiled bravely at her. Julie would see me with my colors flying.

"I'm in town for a day or two."

She flung out her hands with a small, expressive gesture.

"But never in a place like this! The Ritz, or the Savoy, or the Waldorf, maybe! But not here!"

Her tone was so full of real consternation that it almost touched me for a moment.

Also, Julie's presence brought back my luxurious past very strongly—that "past" that had been removed from me by one single day!

"Little Anne! All alone! And so triste!" Her voice had compassion in it.

But I hardened toward her. It was policy to harden.

"Your good aunt? How is she?"

"Quite well, thanks." I was going to turn away, when Julie caught me by the elbow.

"Wait a moment, cherie. I tell my friends that I must leave them. For you and I must have a little talk."

She darted over to the two women in the corner, whispered something, waved her hands, and was back with me once more.

"You have your hat on. That is good. You must come with me to my little flat just round the corner. There we will have coffee, and a nice comfortable chat. No—I refuse to let you go." She caught me playfully by the arm.

There was nothing for it but to comply. Indeed, in my lonely condition, I would have welcomed the society of anyone. And, after all, Julie's only sin had been flirtation with my Freddie. He was mine no longer. I detested him, I told myself.

Then why hold an old grudge against this volatile young woman?

"All right, I'll come."

Five minutes later we were entering her flat. It wasn't in a very savory neighborhood, I must admit.

And we had to climb endless stairs before we reached it. The building owned no elevator.

But, inside, the place was very cosy. Julie had taste.

Her "parlor" was a combined dining-room, drawing-room and boudoir. Old French Prints were on the walls. The color-scheme was in "vieux rose."

A chaise longue, immensely comfortable and much cushioned, occupied one side of the apartment. On either side of the fireplace was a deep armchair. A large work-basket in one corner gave the place a domesticated sort of look. And a tall vase of roses on a little table in the window filled the air with perfume.

Beside the vase there stood a telephone.

Through a half-opened door which led into the parlor I could glimpse Julie's bedroom, the color-scheme of which was also pink.

Let me for a moment, cherie. I want to change my frock for a kimono. The night is warm." And Julie vanished.

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"Please answer it for me, Anne. And find out who desires to speak with me. Don't say I'm at home until you first tell me who is asking. Hurry!"

I crossed the floor, lifted the receiver off its hook, and said:

"Hello!"

A man's voice tickled across the wires:

"Is that you, Julie, dear?"

"And the blood rushed to my cheeks in angry waves. For the speaker on the telephone was none other than my faithless Fred!"

Tomorrow: Fred's Voice

SILVER TEA WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL

Entertainment at St. John's Schoolroom in Aid of Orphanage Attracted Many People

A very pleasant afternoon was spent in St. John's Sunday School yesterday afternoon by a large number of ladies and gentlemen who are interested in the Protestant Orphanage, the occasion being a silver tea to procure funds in aid of that institution.

The spacious room proved very suitable for the occasion, and prettily decorated tables were tastefully arranged in comfortable places, and a dainty tea was served.

The enjoyment of the entertainment was greatly enhanced by a number of gramophone selections, the instrument having been loaned by Mr. Heaton. The afternoon's arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Will Spencer and Mrs. Brown, assisted by a committee from the Orphanage, and they wish to heartily thank St. John's Church for kindly allowing the use of the schoolroom.

The committee is very much pleased with the success obtained, as there are \$5 children to look after at the Orphanage, and yesterday's gratifying attendance shows that the public has the welfare of the young people at heart.

A generous donation of \$25 was received from the Women's Canadian Club, and the receipts for the afternoon amounted to \$113.75.

The Ladies' Musical Club, which has been organized, is holding a series of musical evenings at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mr. H. A. Warburton is a visitor from Ganges Harbor, and is registered at the Douglas Hotel.

Mr. James Finlay, Shawigan Lake, is registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Mrs. J. O. Cameron has very kindly lent her home, 1055 Moss Street, for the first "The Musicals" of the season, held on Saturday afternoon by the Ladies' Musical Club.

The programme will include songs by Mrs. Meyell and Miss Doris Ashdown (pupil of Miss Eva Hart), pianoforte solo by Miss Bright, and vocal duet by Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Dennis (pupil of Miss Kate Hemming). The concert will begin at 8 o'clock, and members are invited to bring a friend.

Miss "Nimmi" Halliday, of the Harrison Beach, Sandwick, is in town for a few days and is staying with Mrs. Smith, on Battery Street.

A Hallowe'en house party took place at 640 Moss Street Wednesday evening, when Miss Vivienne Charlton acted as hostess to a large number of her friends. The function was a fancy dress affair. Dancing was indulged in from 9:30 until 2:30 a.m. A buffet supper was served about midnight. The rooms were prettily decorated, and serpentine, balloons and streamers added to the novelty of the occasion. A novel feature of lighting was carried out with shaded candles. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Talling, Mrs. Chow, Misses B. Parsons, E. Mitchell, Lorna McEachern, Myra Renwick, K. Bayles, J. Winterburn, W. Wilkie, Elsie Smith, A. Charon, Olive Dunlop, Messrs. J. Chadwick, Gordon Burdick, Russell Turner, Gus Lyons, Garry Hemsworth, Brook Stevenson, D. Jones, W. Tolmie, E. Greenwood, B. Hall, E. Watt.

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Mrs. J. O. Wilson entertained yesterday at her residence on Linden Avenue in compliment to Mrs. Treemayne, who is shortly leaving for Prince Rupert.

"Hello!"

A man's voice tickled across the wires:

"Is that you, Julie, dear?"

"And the blood rushed to my cheeks in angry waves. For the speaker on the telephone was none other than my faithless Fred!"

Tomorrow: Fred's Voice

SILVER TEA WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL

Entertainment at St. John's Schoolroom in Aid of Orphanage Attracted Many People

A very pleasant afternoon was spent in St. John's Sunday School yesterday afternoon by a large number of ladies and gentlemen who are interested in the Protestant Orphanage, the occasion being a silver tea to procure funds in aid of that institution.

The spacious room proved very suitable for the occasion, and prettily decorated tables were tastefully arranged in comfortable places, and a dainty tea was served.

The enjoyment of the entertainment was greatly enhanced by a number of gramophone selections, the instrument having been loaned by Mr. Heaton. The afternoon's arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Will Spencer and Mrs. Brown, assisted by a committee from the Orphanage, and they wish to heartily thank St. John's Church for kindly allowing the use of the schoolroom.

The committee is very much pleased with the success obtained, as there are \$5 children to look after at the Orphanage, and yesterday's gratifying attendance shows that the public has the welfare of the young people at heart.

A generous donation of \$25 was received from the Women's Canadian Club, and the receipts for the afternoon amounted to \$113.75.

The Ladies' Musical Club, which has been organized, is holding a series of musical evenings at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mr. H. A. Warburton is a visitor from Ganges Harbor, and is registered at the Douglas Hotel.

Mr. James Finlay, Shawigan Lake, is registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Mrs. J. O. Cameron has very kindly lent her home, 1055 Moss Street, for the first "The Musicals" of the season, held on Saturday afternoon by the Ladies' Musical Club.

The programme will include songs by Mrs. Meyell and Miss Doris Ashdown (pupil of Miss Eva Hart), pianoforte solo by Miss Bright, and vocal duet by Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Dennis (pupil of Miss Kate Hemming). The concert will begin at 8 o'clock, and members are invited to bring a friend.

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Don't make your hat choice 'until you've seen Mme. Yvette!

The first part of the programme concluded with an organ duet by Miss Lilla Robertson and Mr. Jesse Longfield. "Festivities in D" Part II, consisted of Mendelssohn's solo and chorus to the "11th Psalm." Mrs. Longfield singing the solo and the choir rendering the part of the chorus.

HELD ENJOYABLE PARTY

Princess Alexandra Lodge, Daughters of England, Plan Rummage Sale Wednesday

The Princess Alexandra Lodge, Daughters of England, were the hostesses at a very delightful Military Five Hundred Card Party held in the Orange Hall last night. The President, Mrs. Coleman, was in charge of the event, which consisted of four teen tables, and was assisted by the convener, Mrs. Rogers.

The Lodge intends holding a rummage sale next Wednesday at 3 p.m. at 921 Fort Street, and friends will kindly bring their donations on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Silk will be the convener for the sale. The committee at present is working very hard in preparation for a bazaar to be held on Nov. 25, details of which event will be published later.

The players at the winning table last night were Mrs. Colewell, Mrs. Jacklin, Mr. Price and Mr. White, while those who came second were Miss Massey, Mrs. Feden, Mr. Colewell and Mr. Cull. The consolation prizes were awarded to Miss Kent, Mrs. Oddy, Mr. Brown and Mr. Laurison.

Professor Carolan Dies
DUBLIN, Oct. 28.—Professor Carolan, of All Hallows College, who was wounded during a raid on his home on October 10, died of his injuries today.

That Sprinkle of Sugar

over your cereal dish is expensive and it is a needless expense.

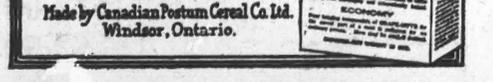
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Treatment for itching and blackheads: Aticura soap with Colman's Mustard. Wash off in five minutes with warm water. Wash with Colman's Mustard and continue washing a few moments.

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Miss Dorothy Bull Married

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The King and Queen have sent a letter conveying their good wishes to Dorothy, daughter of William Perkins Bull, of Toronto, on the occasion of her marriage today to Harry Sigmond, of Toronto. The marriage took place in Wimbledon. The bride was accompanied by the Perkins Bull household during the war.

Extraordinary Sale of French Fall Hats At 25% Off

Don't pay a luxury tax on your hat. With a reduction of 25 per cent you can select 95 per cent of our hats without the necessity of paying the luxury tax on them.

Here truly is an opportunity for the woman who loves and appreciates distinctive millinery to get the best and at such prices that you would never expect would command such exclusive imported models.

This sale is for two days only, commencing this morning and lasting until tomorrow night.

Two hats are pictured to suggest the smart styles.



Modish Millinery at \$8.75

A very special purchase of one hundred hats brings these stunning hats to you at \$8.75. There is but one of each style—distinctive models developed in the modish fabrics and colors of the season.

Early Shopping Is Advised to Assure Against Disappointment

The South African Plume Shop
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AUTO ASSOCIATION ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

Reorganization Completed at Meeting Last Night, and New Board Takes Charge—Mr. C. L. Harris Is Secretary

The Island Automobile Association met last night and elected a new executive and board of governors. Mr. Charles L. Harris was the only member of the old board to be re-elected. He is again the secretary. No one else was nominated.

It was a lengthy session at the Empress Hotel and it was not until after 9:30 that the members completed the process of reorganization. Amendments to the proposed by-law were passed making men in the car hire business eligible for membership and permitting automobile and accessory dealers to take places on the directorate.

There seemed to be some doubt as to the proper procedure to pursue at the beginning of the meeting. Mr. D. E. Campbell, president of the association until he resigned in a body and decided on reorganization, was in the chair. Mr. Campbell referred to the break in the ranks that had led to the forming of the Victoria Automobile Club. "It is really too bad to be split up," he said. "It is a question whether we should reorganize and continue or not."

Mr. Thomas Cusack contended that it wasn't a question at all. At the previous meeting there had been no thought of disbanding. "The officers have resigned, but we are still in business," he said. "We are here tonight to reorganize."

This seemed to be the attitude of the majority, and the meeting went ahead with nominations. Mr. Campbell declining to stand for re-election to the presidency, Dr. A. J. Garasche was elected to succeed him.

There was a brief debate as to whether dealers should be admitted to the directorate, and Mr. Campbell remarked that it would be best "to avoid the ripples in the rapids" if possible.

Mr. E. H. M. Foote was elected first vice-president, and Dr. Grant second vice-president. Mr. Thomas Cusack was named treasurer. The board of governors will be made up as follows: Messrs. W. Duncan, I. M. Nodak, Harry Savage, D. E. Campbell, George Little, Ernest and William Maynard, Thomas Finley and Dr. Tomalin. One member is yet to be named.

When the time came to select a secretary there was some debate as to whether this should be left to the directorate, as provided in the proposed constitution, but this was overruled and Mr. Harris was nominated and elected unanimously.

"While there has been a good deal of complaint about Mr. Harris," said Mr. Cusack, nominating Mr. Harris, "I have it on the best of authority that there will be no ground for complaint in future."

"I am glad to hear these remarks from my old townman," said Mr. Campbell. "As I've remarked before, this club has done lots of good for this city, and it can go on. Mr. Harris, with all his faults, is peculiarly adapted to be secretary of this association. Let us hope that Mr. Harris will just see a few of his faults of the past, take them to the seashore, make a mound of them and let the sea wash them all away."

Mr. Harris, in accepting the office, said that lately he had received no support from the officers, and he blamed this condition for any trouble that may have arisen. He said it had been all right when Aid. A. E. Todd was president. "Todd kept on my tail constantly and I had to keep moving," he said.

Mr. Harris was given an ovation when he sat down.

Arrangements for taking out a new charter will be completed in a few days. The association has 200 members, according to Mr. Harris. It wants at least 1,000.

MORE POWERS TO JOIN LEAGUE

Mr. Balfour Makes Announcement at Closing Session of Council—Danzig and Lithuania Affairs Arranged

BRUSSELS, Oct. 28.—The council of the League of Nations this morning closed its sessions in Brussels. The council took a final adjournment after referring the question of Danzig, the regulations concerning which are in dispute between Poland and the authorities of the free city, to the assembly of the league, which is to meet at Geneva next month.

The council took another important action in deciding upon a plebiscite as to the disposition of the territory in dispute between Poland and Lithuania, this including the line fixed by the supreme council in December, 1919.

Arthur J. Balfour, the British representative, in making the closing address, declared that four great powers, not now members of the league, would enter it shortly.

"Without these great powers," he added, "it is impossible to predict what the league may accomplish."

UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S SUCCESSFUL BRIDGE

Delightful Affair Held Last Night at Home of Mrs. A. de B. Farris to Raise Fund for Scholarship

The bridge party held by the Women's University Club last evening at the home of Mrs. A. de B. Farris, Poul Bay Road, was a delightful success from every standpoint, and the sum of ninety dollars was cleared for the object in view. This, it should be noted, is a scholarship to be given to the girl making the highest marks in matriculation for the University of British Columbia, and the Women's University Club almost doubled its quota by last night's function, only fifty dollars being required.

The guests were welcomed by Mrs. Farris, receiving with her being Miss Adele Macleod, who had entire charge of the arrangements for the party, and to whom much credit is due for the excellent organization of the undertaking. There were twenty-five tables, and the living-room, dining-room, "den," and morning-room, all occupied by players. A pretty scheme of decoration was achieved with chrysanthemums, white and yellow blooms being employed in the living-room, and pink in the other rooms.

Play began at 8:15, and ceased at 11 o'clock, Miss Tuck being announced as the winner of the lady's prize, and Mr. Robinson of the gentleman's. At the conclusion of the evening's play a delicious buffet supper was served, Mrs. Jenner being in charge of the catering.

Those who convined tables were as follows:

Mrs. Pattullo, Mr. R. F. Taylor, Miss Tuck, Mrs. F. C. Green, Mrs. Margaret Jenkins, Mrs. Bradshaw, Mme. Sanderson-Mongin, Mrs. Proctor, Mrs. Mount, Mrs. Macdonald, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Rowland, Miss Archibald, Miss Maxwell, Mrs. Edith Smith, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Dale, Mrs. Shearer, Mrs. Helen Ryan, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Fleming, Mrs. E. C. Hart, Miss Hastie, and Miss Macleod.

IRISH INQUIRY IS INOPPORTUNE

Sir Auckland Geddes Tells "Committee of One Hundred" That Its Self-Imposed Work Will Do No Good

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—In announcing that the American commission on Ireland would meet in Washington tomorrow and Saturday to plan its public inquiry into conditions in that country, the "Committee of One Hundred on Ireland" today made public a letter from Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador, in which he expressed doubt as to whether the truth can be established until there has been a period of quiet in Ireland.

In his letter to the committee which selected the commission, Sir Auckland said:

"I venture to say that no one who realizes what the present position in Ireland involves in the sorrow and suffering of men, women and children, can fall to be anxious that a way should be found to bring tranquility to that country."

"The British Government has more to gain than any other in ensuring that the truth is made known to the whole world."

"Any inquiry undertaken just now, more especially any inquiry undertaken by persons of less than the greatest experience and the least of evidence, and without power to compel the production of books, papers, records, etc., would, in my opinion, lead to a mass of statements unsupported by facts, being, therefore, for propaganda purposes."

Cuts, Burns

Ward's Wizard Oil a Safe First Aid Treatment

How often lockjaw, blood poisoning, the loss of an arm or leg, or sometimes even life itself, results from the neglect of a burn or little cut! Ward's Wizard Oil is a safe and effective first aid treatment. It is a powerful antiseptic and promptly applied to wounds of this kind will lessen the danger of blood poisoning. Keep it handy!

Ward's Oil is a good disinfectant and is used by the medical profession to save the patient when he is away. It is soothing and healing and quickly dries out the skin. It is also used in cases of sprains, bruises, cuts, burns, bites, and stings. It is a reliable and safe first aid treatment. It is sold in all drug stores, and is also sold in bulk for hospitals and institutions.

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OAKLANDS HAS PARENT TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

At Meeting in School Last Evening Mr. Gerald Cross Was Elected President

At a representative meeting in the Oakland school last evening a Parent-Teachers' Association was formed. There were over one hundred people present, and the chair was taken by Mr. Gerald Cross. Municipal Inspector Lieut.-Col. W. N. Winsby gave an address in which he stated his opinion of the value of the proposed association, after which the election of officers was held, the result being: President, Mr. Gerald Cross; first vice-president, Mr. R. McInnes; second vice-president, Mr. Gough; treasurer, Mrs. Brooks; executive committee, Miss Vantrigh, Mr. Crook, Mr. Bryan, Mr. Fuller, Mrs. Langley and Mr. Flaxman.

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A collection of very smart Tweed Suits, in most desirable weaves; to clear today, **\$35.00** each.
Tweed Suits, in such weaves as Donegal, herringbone and diagonal; these are in the newest styles and embody tailoring features of an unusual order. To clear today, **\$39.50** each.
Distinctive Suits of navy serge, trimmed with braid buttons and are well tailored. Special for today, **\$39.50** each.
A limited number of High-Grade Suits of navy serge in very superior styles. Priced to clear, **\$47.50** today.

Coats
A special collection of Plain and Silver-tone Velour Coats, in desirable shades and styles to clear today, **\$39.50** each.
Novelty Tweed Coats, in dark colors suitable for Winter service, **\$22.75**.
Better Quality Tweed Coats, to clear, **\$29.50** each.
20 PER CENT PRICE REDUCTION ON ALL OTHER COATS (Except Burberrys).

Skirts
A limited number of Black Serge Skirts now priced at **\$10.00** each.
Novelty Plaid and Stripe Skirts, in very smart styles. To clear at **\$15.00** each.
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NEW COMPANIES

Twelve new companies were incorporated during the past week to carry on business in British Columbia as follows:

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Referendum Returns

PRINCE RUPERT, Oct. 28.—Referential returns on the liquor referendum were received here this morning from the following places: Jedway, Government control; 2: Prohibition; 1: Bella Bella, Government control; 2: Prohibition; 3: Surf Inlet, Government control; 4: Prohibition; 13: Masset, Government control; 19: Prohibition; 13: Ocean Falls, Government control; 24: Prohibition; 68: Hydab, Government control; 1: Prohibition; 2.

Republican Campaign Outlay

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—The Republican National Committee's campaign to elect Senator Warren G. Harding president will cost \$1,442,922.32, Fred W. Upham, national treasurer of the party, notified the senate committee appointed to investigate campaign expenditures in a report filed here today.

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SPORTING NEWS

Canadian Amateurs Win From Vardon and Ray

ANDY WAS CALLED

A PERFECT LADY

Mrs. Sweeney's Wit on Golf Course Leads Opponent to Publish Reminiscences of Her Achievements.

Having obtained an early lead in her final match with Miss Violet-Henry Anderson in the Pacific Northwest women's championship at Burnaby during that recent July week, Mrs. Sweeney (nee Violet Pooley) found herself 2-up going to the long sixth. She lost the hole. Playing the seventh, she followed a terrific tee shot with a sliced iron into the bunker guarding the green. On seeing her opponent do identically the same thing, she dryly remarked: "Well, 'Andy,' I called you a perfect lady."

This incident, illustrating the wit of the Pacific Northwest champion, is related by Miss Anderson, the runner-up in that classic of fields that ever started the women's golf title event on the North Pacific Coast. Miss Anderson takes her pen in hand to say a lot of other interesting things about the P. N. G. A. champion, to wit:

Mrs. Sweeney started golf at 3 years of age on the United Service Club links at Esquimalt, B.C. She never had professional coaching. The only actual instruction she ever received was from an army officer and he was left-handed. She later joined the Oak Bay Club and is also an honorary member of Colwood. During the recent championship at Vancouver she registered from Jericho Country Club.

Among the honors she won are mentioned the following:

She was semi-finalist in the Canadian women's championship in '15, where she was defeated by Florence Harvey, the latter holding an 18-footer on the last green for a win of the match.

Did Well Abroad

In 1915—she it remembered she was active in war work and played not from 1913 on to this year—she also went well abroad. In the British Women's championship she was defeated in the semi-final by Miss Muriel Dodd, the ultimate winner of the title. In order to reach the semi-final, Miss Pooley (then) had to defeat Miss Ravenscroft, the champion of another year and a famous internationalist.

In the same year, playing for the Golf Illustrated in England, she did the Burnhill course in 84, one stroke more than the winning score, that is, the 83 of Miss Cecil Leitch, probably the greatest woman player Great Britain has ever produced.

All of this followed her first play of 1913 in the British Women's championship. That year she won the trophy given for the best scratch medal score at Hollingwell. Miss Ravenscroft, who won the championship, was not within three strokes of this medal round of the Victoria woman.

Miss Anderson says that while Mrs. Sweeney initially prefers match to medal play, she holds that medal play is much the better test of golf. She is not only a strong player but she is remarkably straight. She possesses marvelous control of her iron, with a particular reference to her mashie. The mashie run-up is not done better by any man player in this section. Incidentally, it is her favorite club.

RECENT BOUT HAD NO INTEREST FOR JACK

Dempsy Did Not Bother to See Carpenter-Levinsky Bout—Check Full of Confidence

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Jack Dempsy, the heavyweight champion of the world, though he was almost within a stone's throw of the Jersey City Baseball Park, where Georges Carpentier knocked out Battling Levinsky, remained away from the battleground.

One might think that Jack would welcome a chance to see in action the man who will probably become a challenger for his crown before another year has elapsed. But that is not the way Dempsy does business. He works on the principle that when he is in the ring he is the one that is going to set the pace and do the bulk of the fighting. For that reason he cares not what the other fellow intends to do.

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President McCarthy, who arrived today from San Francisco, named five players of last season's teams and said "they knew something was wrong either before it actually happened or while it was taking place. Quite likely

"I am convinced," he said, "that others knew everything was not being conducted on the square."

"I was not at the head of the league in 1919. My league stands on its 1920 record on handling gambling cases."

"The Los Angeles County grand jury has done great work. I am here to tell it about everything I have uncovered."

President McCarthy brought with him an affidavit by Catcher Edward "Tubby" Spencer, former Salt Lake, Vernon and Detroit backstop, in which Spencer asserted W. Baker, "Babe" Borton, former Vernon first baseman, whose charges precipitated the grand jury inquiry had offered him \$1,700 to throw games in the last two Salt Lake-Vernon series in 1919. Spencer stated he refused.

Borton on several occasions has admitted he offered Spencer \$500, not \$1,700.

DETAILS ARRANGED FOR FISHING BOAT RACE

First of Series of Three Starts Tomorrow Morning Off Halifax Between American and Canadian Schooners.

HALIFAX, Oct. 28.—Weather conditions permitting, the starting gun for the international fishermen's race will sound at 9 a.m. Saturday, and the contest will be decided on a "best two out of three" basis.

The general race committee decided this afternoon that each schooner will carry twenty-eight men—captain, crew of twenty-five, and two guests. One of the guests will be the official representative of the opposing craft, and in the case of Esperanto, the Gloucester entry, the second guest will be a pilot familiar with the waters off Halifax.

TED LEWIS SAILS TO KEEP HIS DATE WITH JOHNNY BASHAM

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Ted (Kid) Lewis, the British boxer, who formerly held the world's welterweight championship title, was a passenger on the Mauretania calling today for England. He is to meet Johnny Basham at London on November 19.

After that bout, Lewis plans to return to the United States and seek a match with Jack Britton for the welterweight championship.

JACK PERRY MATCHED WITH JACK BRITTON

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 28.—Jack Britton, welterweight champion of the world, will defend his title against Jack Perry, of Pittsburgh, in a 12-round no-decision contest here November 8, according to announcements today.

INCOSG'S PRESIDENT ENTERTAINS CLUB

Team Had Enjoyable Evening at University School—Speeches and Music Followed Refreshments

On Monday evening last the president of the University Incosg C. C., Mr. J. C. Barnacle, entertained the members of the team in the dining hall of the school, where, after doing full justice to the good things provided, the season's play was dealt with by the president. The bowling trio receiving special and well-deserved commendation.

Following the speeches, amongst which was a generous contribution by Mr. Parsons, of the Alton C. C., the musical talent of the school staff and playing members had a good innings, the songs of Messrs. Bayne, Sparks, Tunnard and the president being much appreciated, as were violin selections by Mr. Willsher, Col. Gooday and Mr. Parsons ably accompanied.

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Vancouver Woman Declares Tanlac Has Restored Her Health After Two Years of Intense Suffering.

"It was certainly a happy surprise for me when I saw how Tanlac was bringing back my health and strength," was the enthusiastic statement made the other day by Mrs. M. C. Bradford, of 221 Campbell Ave., Vancouver, B. C.

"At the time I got Tanlac it seems to me I was just about as bad off as people ever get to be. For two years I suffered intensely from indigestion after every meal. My back and shoulders were so drawn and bent from rheumatism, I went about stooped over most of the time.

"I suffered, day and night from rheumatism, and often had to sit up in bed at night in order to breathe, so I woke up mornings as tired as on going to bed. I spent days at a time in bed, and it was simply out of the question for me to do my housework.

"Well, I have just finished my fourth bottle of Tanlac now, and my indigestion, rheumatism, nervousness and weakness are all things of the past. I feel strong and well, just like I did when a girl, and do all my housework and never feel it. I am so grateful to Tanlac for restoring my health, I feel like I want to tell the whole world about it."

Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell, Druggist, and in Esquimalt at Lang's Drug Store. (Advt.)

Vancouver Island News

CHARGE OF WOUNDING WAS NOT SUSTAINED

Hunter Accused of Shooting George Meredith, of Nanaimo, Discharged by Police Magistrate

NANAIMO, Oct. 28.—The charge against Leonard Sedole of wounding George Meredith, when hunting deer on Mt. Benson some weeks ago, was dismissed in the Provincial Police Court yesterday morning, the evidence being insufficient. Mr. Meredith, on the witness stand, said that whoever fired, the shooting was unintentional, he being mistaken for a deer. Sedole told the Court that he was not that day in the vicinity of Mt. Benson.

AILMENTS OF CHILDREN

Interesting Returns Furnished to School Board by Medical Health Officer of Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Oct. 28.—Figures published by the School Board show that of 764 public school pupils examined there were 728 discovered defective during the present year and 498 had not been vaccinated. Of the 38 who had defective vision, 13 had been reported for two consecutive years and 5 for six years; 224 had defective teeth; 254 suffered from defective tonsils, 120 of whom were reported a year ago, and 42 for three consecutive years. Defective glands were found in 49 and gone in 27. A conference will be sought by the Board with the school principals and the Medical Inspector, Dr. Drysdale.

NANAIMO SOCIAL NOTES

NANAIMO, Oct. 28.—Nanaimo Lodge No. 4, Knights of Pythias, and Silver Leaf Temple, No. 1, Pythian Sisters, held a social hour at the close of the regular meeting on Tuesday evening of the Knights.

The Native Daughters held their monthly social on Tuesday evening. Mr. I. Kirkham, Sr., returned home Tuesday from a six months' visit to the Old Land, accompanied by his son Alfred, formerly of Nanaimo, his wife and two children.

Mr. Conrad Reife is attending the wedding in Vancouver of his niece, Miss Florence Reife, formerly of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dobson, Kennedy Street, have gone to California for an extended visit with their daughter, Elsie, formerly manager of the B.C. Telephone office.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Millar, Iron Street, held a family reunion last evening to welcome Mrs. Stone, who has just arrived from Scotland.

NANAIMO NEWS NOTES

NANAIMO, Oct. 28.—The "Laf-a-Lot" camp at Page's Point last summer was reported upon at last night's joint meeting of the local committee and the district executive of the Y.M.C.A. The receipts were \$227.90, with disbursements of \$123.66, which will mean a refund to the boys, reducing their daily expense to about seventy cents.

The Bastion Square of Tuxis Boys, G.B.E.T., elected as officers last night, with Selmo Williams in the chair; Pretor, Horace Tyler; Deputy Pretor, John Marsh; Scoutor, C. Murray Reynolds; Comptor, Leslie Corbett.

The trial of Mr. Edward Marshall on a charge of the theft of \$400 from the funds of the Navy League will take place on Friday of next week.

Mr. Herbert Shaw has been appointed returning officer for Nanaimo in the Provincial elections on Dec. 1st.

A mass meeting of returned soldiers and dependents is being advertised to be held in the Opera House on Sunday evening next, to consider who is to be the soldier-candidate at the coming election.

Young Couple Married

NANAIMO, Oct. 28.—At Wallace Street Methodist Church yesterday morning, Rev. W. Vance solemnized marriage between Mr. Arthur George Vincent and Miss Florence Evelyn Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Dean Kennedy, both being well-known residents of this city.

TWO MINE ACCIDENTS

One Man Loses Arm and Another Has Collar Bone and Ribs Fractured

NANAIMO, Oct. 28.—Wm. Flynn, of Milton Street, while employed on the motor in No. 1 mine, No. 1 level, met with a serious accident, the details of which, on account of his condition, are not yet obtainable, but which necessitated the removal of his left arm above the elbow.

While repairing a flume at the Granby mine, Cassidy, part of the structure fell on James McEwan, aged 54 years, breaking his collarbone, wrist and several ribs. After some treatment in the mine hospital—his injuries proving serious—he was brought to Nanaimo Hospital.

ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. JOHN AMBULANCE

Nanaimo Centre Members Gratified on Hearing Annual Report Read—Officers Elected

NANAIMO, Oct. 28.—Nanaimo Centre of the St. John Ambulance Association held its ninth annual meeting last evening in Oddfellows' Hall, Mr. J. E. Thompson, vice-president, in the chair. The annual report of the honorary secretary, treasurer, Mr. Wm. Fulton, showed a very successful year. The various awards gained by ladies of the Home Nursery Class and by members of the C.W.F. Employees' First Aid Association were presented by Mayor Bushby. The officers elected are: President, Mr. W. H. Moore; vice-president, Mr. J. E. Thompson; honorary secretary-treasurer, Mr. Wm. Fulton. The executive consists of officers and chairman and secretary of each class. Auditors are C. J. Tyler, W. H. Thorpe and representatives to B.C. Council, W. H. Moore and W. Fulton.

LANGFORD WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETING

COLWOOD, Oct. 28.—One of the most enjoyable and helpful meetings given by the Langford Women's Institute was that held on Tuesday afternoon, October 26, in the Assembly Rooms. After the regular routine business was gone through, Mrs. J. D. Gordon, of the Soldiers' Settlement Board, spoke on "Making the Best of Life," and never has she held her hearers with more sympathetic interest to the end.

It was decided at this meeting to hold a winter course in dressmaking to be started as soon as arrangements can be completed. After the meeting was adjourned tea was served, the hostesses for the afternoon being Mesdames Cooper and Pike.

PRESENTATION TO DUNCAN BOY SCOUTS

Pleasant Reunion Takes Place Under Auspices of Daughters of the Empire Ending With Dance

DUNCAN, Oct. 28.—Mrs. G. Tisdal, regent of the local chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, last evening, in St. John's Hall, presented the Union Jack on behalf of the chapter to the local organization of Boy Scouts. Rev. A. Bischoff, in charge of the Boy Scouts, accepted the flag, and expressed the appreciation of the gift. Prior to the presenting of the flag the Girl Guides and the Boy Scouts who were assembled to witness the ceremony, gave a short musical programme, and later supper was served and a pleasant time was spent in games and dancing.

Personal Mention

DUNCAN, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Norman E. Black and two children arrived in Duncan last evening to join Dr. Black. They will take up their residence on Gibbons Road.

Miss Florence, of Victoria, has been

added to the staff of the Cowichan Merchants, Limited.

Miss Alma MacDonald is spending a few days in Duncan, the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Smith. She has been teaching at Swanson Bay and came down on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. MacDonald, who is now much improved in health.

Mrs. Charlie French, with infant son, returned home from Victoria last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Stone are receiving congratulations on the birth of twin boys at the King's Daughters' Hospital.

G.A.U. VETERANS CHOOSE CANDIDATES

R. P. McLernan and C. K. Christian Will Contest Victoria Seats, and M. A. Orford That of Saanich District

At the nominating convention of the Grand Army of United Veterans held last night, R. P. McLernan and C. K. Christian were nominated to carry the banner of the G. A. U. V. forces in conjunction with two nominees of the Labor organizations on a four-fold ticket representing Victoria City at the Provincial elections in December. At a meeting subsequent to the meeting, the United Veterans resident in Saanich selected Capt. M. A. Orford to represent them in that constituency.

The Veterans were out in full force for the convention, almost four hundred having crammed themselves into the hall. Of this number the votes were distributed in the measure of 164 for Comrade Christian, a like number for Comrade McLernan, while the sole unsuccessful nominee, Capt. Gladwin, polled 21 votes. Feeling in the assembly ran high, discussion was at all times general, and the applause that greeted the final count of the ballots reflected fully the confidence and enthusiasm with which the Veterans have set themselves to their task.

Regarding affiliation with the United Farmers' Party, the president asserted that at the Provincial convention of the G. A. U. V. in Vancouver six weeks ago President Armistead of that body had submitted the constitution of the Farmers to the convention, and at his own request was allowed to address the members of the convention.

The name of Capt. Orford was insistently shouted by the members of the assembly as a Victoria candidate, but he was finally apportioned to Saanich.

Major Bullock Webster was proposed by Sergeant Knowles, D. C. M. and Bar, and seconded by Comrade W. A. Hays, but he asked to have his name withdrawn. "I wish to make my position perfectly clear," he said. "I very much appreciate the support of men with such distinguished records, but in Provincial politics I am a Conservative and have taken an active part in supporting the Conservative Party since I came to this Province twenty years ago. Secondly, I am not a returned soldier in the true sense of the word, as I was only in the trenches one week on a Cook's tour. I have the interests of the ex-service men very much at heart, but am not looking for a nomination, and would ask that my name be withdrawn."

Comrade McLernan was proposed by Comrade McVie and seconded by Comrade G. W. Stead, while Comrade Christian was nominated by Comrade Bradshaw, Comrade Chandler being the seconder.

Comrade McKenzie was much perturbed as to the freedom of action of the nominees if elected. "Will there be strings on the candidates?" he asked. "We want to be able to hire our men as a foreman would an inefficient bricklayer, make life so unbearable for him that he would quit of his own accord if he failed to deliver the goods."

"Why didn't the returned men make Glomia quit?" asked Capt. Orford.

"That's the mistake we are learning by," shouted back Comrade McKenzie.

The nominations were then proceeded with, resulting as stated.

Thanking the Veterans for their choice of him, Comrade McLernan announced the intention of the organization to run candidates in every constituency of Vancouver Island. Miss Helen Stewart had been asked to stand for Esquimalt, but although she pledged her support she could not consent to nomination.

A Clean Fight

"This is to be a clean fight, asserted Comrade Christian, who stated that he was just as much a Labor man as he was a veteran. He considered the constitution of the party an excellent one, and well qualified to suit the electors. The platform he described as the cleanest ever placed before the Victoria public, the cleanest Labor platform. There was no radicalism in it. He believed in evolution and not revolution. He had traced the growth of the labor movement in many of the smaller democracies, and such measures as the Old Age Pensions Act, the Early Closing Act, and others similar were due in every case to the development of a strong Labor Party.

Questioned by Comrade Pearce as to the exact nature of the ticket being adopted, President McLernan stated that it was their intention to work in conjunction with Labor. The platform had not as yet been submitted to the Labor Party, but he anticipated no difficulty on that score.

To Make Premier Hot

While the ballots were being counted, the visit of Premier Meighen on Saturday was brought up by Comrade Orford. "When he speaks here on Saturday night," said Comrade Orford, "see to it that he does not speak at all unless he gives direct answers to our questions. I have studied the reports of his Moose Jaw speech and his replies on re-establishment and other returned men's questions were those of a fool. Don't let him speak at all unless he answers directly."

Subway in Subway Traffic

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Since New York's first subway train was run 16 years ago today, the Interborough Rapid Transit Company has carried 42,911,648 passengers, or approximately three times the total population of the world—Frank Hedley, president and general manager, announced today. During that time there have been only seven passengers killed by accident.

Store No. 33 New Open in Moose Jaw, Sask.

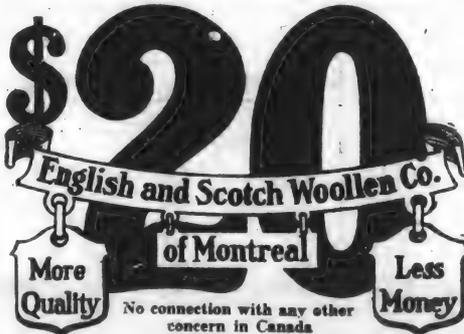
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No matter how much or how little you may know of the present complicated conditions that surround the clothing industry at this time, you are sufficiently posted to appreciate that a suit or overcoat of quality Tailored to your individual measure for \$20. is a genuine and most exceptional bargain. Such is our offer—You will make no mistake by visiting any one of our 33 Quality Tailor Shops today.

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General Manager for Canada.

Ladies' Warm Winter Coats
Order your Winter Coat now—Tailored-to-your-measure. Select the fabric of your choice—a designer for ladies garments will take care of your order for a man-tailored coat. Ask to see fashion plate.

Trousers
We are showing exceptional values in odd trousers from special European imports. Many of these trousers are shown in very limited quantities, and are exceptional values.

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ANOTHER BUDGET OF BARGAINS

Provided This Week-End at
O'CONNELL'S BIG

FIRE SALE

Today and Tomorrow are opportunity days at this big Fire Sale. The opportunity is a splendid one for every man in this community to purchase Winter apparel at prices that simply can't be duplicated. Every item of our high-grade stock of clothing must be disposed of AT ONCE. No question of profit is being considered—the entire stock which was in our store at the date of the recent fire MUST GO. Unless the crowds of shoppers is even greater than last Saturday's throng we will not lock the doors today or tomorrow. Special arrangements have been made to handle larger crowds and give every shopper adequate service.

Hundreds of Suits and Overcoats

Our entire stock of high-grade Suits and Overcoats for men and young men is included in the offerings below. Every garment has been cleaned and pressed and is warranted in first-class condition. These garments are now offered

At Less Than Factory Cost!

Fire Sale Bargains in Men's Furnishings

UNDERWEAR

Several groups of Summer and Fall Underwear in two-piece and combination styles. Slightly scorched and smoke damaged. Prices are ridiculously low.

SHIRTS

English Pure Wool Taffeta Shirts, made expressly for us by Welch, Margetson & Co., of London, England. Worth \$9.30 wholesale today. Regular price \$12.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$8.50**

WHITE SHIRTS

Including some White Dress Shirts which have been slightly scorched. Regular \$3.50 value.
Fire Sale **75c**

WHITE DRESS SHIRTS

in perfect condition. Regular at \$2.50 each. Fire Sale **\$1.45**

LINEN COLLARS

Cluett, Peabody's and W. G. & R. White Linen Collars in a wide range of the popular styles. All sizes represented. Regular at \$4.00 a dozen. Fire Sale Price **\$2.75**

GLOVES

Wool Lined Cape and Mocha Gloves of superb quality. A fine Christmas present for any man. Worth \$5.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$3.45**

SOCKS

Fifty dozen Pure Wool, Worsted, Cashmere and Silk Socks. Worth to \$2.50 a pair. Slightly scorched. Per pair **25c**

NECKWEAR

Thirty-five dozen English Hand-Made Silk Ties; a collection of exclusive patterns and wonderfully rich colorings. Regular at \$3.50 each. Fire Sale Price **\$2.45**

CAPS

Odd lines of Pure Wool English Tweed Caps in the best of recent styles. Regular at \$4.50. Fire Sale Price **\$2.65**

FELT HATS
Stetson Hats for Fall in a complete range of the new colorings. Every hat warranted in first-class condition. Regular at \$10.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$7.25**

Overcoats

Handsome Coats of O'Brien's pure wool fleecy cloths. A coat that sells in any store in the country today for \$75.00. Ask to be shown this wonderful value. Guaranteed undamaged.

Regular at \$75.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$47.50**

Suits for Young Men

There are ten only in this group of perfectly tailored suits for young men. Several of them are silk lined—all are wonderful bargains at this low price.

Regular at \$75.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$45.00**

Overcoats

This is a shipment of young men's up-to-the-minute Overcoats that arrived after the fire. We include them at the ordinary Fire Sale reduction. All sizes from 34 to 44 are included.

Regular at \$50.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$35.00**

Men's Suits

Eighty suits are included in this offering of smart Tweed Suits for men and young men. Some suits which we had on order and were only delivered this week are included at this attractively low price.

Regular at \$50.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$33.00**

An \$85 Suit for \$15

If you want one of them come early today. There are sixteen suits only in this group. They are blue serge of the very finest quality, worth today \$70.00 to \$85.00. The collars of the coats are slightly scorched. The pants, worth \$20.00, and vests, worth \$3.50, are in perfect condition. No alterations can be made on these suits without charge.

Regular at \$50.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$35.00**

Ulster Overcoats

Plain or belted styles in a choice of two shades. These Overcoats are made from Boyd-Caldwell's famous overcoating cloths and are wonderful bargains.

Regular at \$50.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$35.00**

Young Men's Suits

Smart straight front effects that young men are wearing this Winter. All superior cloths and good shades. Sizes 31 to 35 only.

Special Fire Sale offering at **\$29.75**

Young Men's Overcoats

A form-fitting model in a dark brown check tweed. A coat that any young fellow will admire. It is one of our best-fitting models.

Regular at \$50.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$37.50**

Blue Serge Suits

Pure wool and fast indigo dye. Every suit perfectly tailored and guaranteed free from marks by fire, smoke or water. A snap at these low prices.

Regular at \$75.00, now **\$43.25**
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English "Togo" Overcoats

These coats by Studd-Millington & Co., of London, Eng., are the supreme achievement of the tailor's art. You can't buy a better coat at any price. It will be years before such coats will again be offered at \$55.

Regular at \$50.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$55.00**

Men's Slip-On Overcoats

A bargain that the thrifty man should investigate. They are made from the finest quality cloths, and are a nice medium weight. Warranted undamaged.

Regular at \$40.00.
Fire Sale Price **\$22.50**

Christmas Neckwear

Fifty dozen beautiful ties which we had just received for our Christmas business. Every tie is guaranteed undamaged.

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The Daily Colonist INDEX TO CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Table listing various categories of advertisements such as 'Wanted - Male Help', 'Educational', 'For Sale - Miscellaneous', etc., with corresponding page numbers.

WANTED - MALE HELP (Continued)

Men wanted at \$200 to \$300 per month. Automobile and tractor industry. Various job openings for men.

EDUCATIONAL (Continued)

Shorthand school, 1811 Government Street. Various educational institutions and courses.

FOR SALE - MISCELLANEOUS 13 (Continued)

For sale - Pity chairs, platform and organ. Various household items and furniture.

FOR SALE - MISCELLANEOUS 13 (Continued)

Reduce your office expenses. Put in an Edison 500-watt incandescent lamp.

WANTED - MISCELLANEOUS 13 (Continued)

Wanted - 12 horsepower gas or gasoline engine. Various items for sale and wanted.

TO RENT - HOUSES 23 (Continued)

For rent - 7-room house, modern conveniences. Various rental listings.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES

One and one-half cents a word each insertion. Rates for various types of classified ads.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

Births: Mrs. G. P. Oler, 1079 Grand Street. Marriages: R. L. L. & W. M. H. Deaths: Mrs. J. H. Wilson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Are you paying too much for your plumbing work? Various notices and announcements.

WANTED - MALE HELP

Wanted - A great expression covering a multitude of freezers. Various job openings.

WANTED - FEMALE HELP

Advertiser wishes to employ a capable young person. Various job openings for women.

PERSONAL

Personals: Mrs. E. J. Gordon, teacher of piano and violin. Various personal notices.

TO RENT - MISCELLANEOUS

To rent - Garage for rent, Fairfield. Various rental listings.

FOR SALE - MISCELLANEOUS

For sale - High-grade Fox, Green, Remington shotgun. Various items for sale.

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POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK '21 (Continued)

POULTRY breeders, be efficient. Keep records. Get the B. C. Poultry Association record book...

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WANTED - By November 30, from 8 to 12 Black Minors...

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NORFOLK LODGE BERKSHIRES

YOUNG purebred Berks for sale

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1920 BABY GRAND CHEVROLET, in excellent condition...

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Small, well-kept, with living rooms if possible.

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MOST attractive semi-bungalow of 7 rooms.

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JUST off carline in Oak Bay, 7-roomed modern house.

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Established 1880

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